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# GLOWING TRIBUTES PAID MEMORY OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN ON CENTENARY OF MARTYR'S BIRTH.

## The President at Hodgenville, Ky.---Gov. Fernald at Portland---Legislative Exercises at Augusta---In the Other Cities and States.

### PRESIDENT AT HODGENVILLE.

Hodgenville, Ky., Feb. 12—Henceforth the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln is to be marked by a pile of stone. The emancipator of a race and the liberator of the thought of a nation, builded his own monument in the heart of the world and appropriately the physical structure which has now found a beginning at the place where Lincoln first saw the light, takes the simpler name of a memorial. It is to be a simple but classic building of granite and it is hoped that it may be completed some time next fall, when the then President, William H. Taft, will officiate in dedicating it as the present President Theodore Roosevelt officiated today in laying its corner stone.

The corner stone laying took place after appropriate ceremonies which were participated in by the President, Gov. Augustus E. Willson of Kentucky, Former Governor Joseph W. Folk of Missouri, president of the Lincoln Farm Association, Luke E. Wright, secretary of war, who spoke as an ex-Confederate soldier, Gen. James Grant Wilson of New York, who represented the Union soldiers and I. T. Montgomery of Mississippi a negro and an ex-slave.

The ceremony was full of interesting and novel features apart from the occasion, which inspired it, and not the least interesting was the character of the crowd which composed the audience.

There were probably 6000 or 8000 people present. Many of them had come in on special trains from Louisville and other Kentucky centers and some had been attracted to the scene from far away states. The bulk of the assembly was composed, however, of the country folk from Larue and adjacent counties.

There was a notable absence of Negroes in the crowd, but those present were wedged in among the whites showing that none had been kept away by race prejudice. Among those who had been expected to be present was Mrs. Ben Hardin Helm, the only surviving sister of Mrs. Lincoln, 93 years old, but she was kept at her home in Louisville by her infirmities.

The exercises were conducted under a wide spreading, open-sided tent, which had been erected alongside the cabin in which Lincoln was born 100

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### GOV. FERNALD AT PORTLAND.

Portland, Me., Feb. 12—Governor Bert M. Fernald, Congressmen Allen of Maine, Dawson of Iowa and Cole of Ohio addressed the members of the Lincoln Club at the 19th annual banquet tonight, at which 500 covers were laid. Letters of regret from Senators Hale and Frye of Maine, Robert A. Lincoln, son of the martyred President, and Vice President Fairbanks were read. Governor Fernald was enthusiastically applauded and cheered during his speech in which he said in part:

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I would not do justice, my friends, to the loyal heart of our beloved State, did I not amplify also in some degree, the second feature of that element of personal satisfaction to which I have alluded—the part Maine played in upholding the hands of Abraham Lincoln. No state in the Union responded more eagerly for the first call for troops than did Maine. No state gave more of her blood and treasure in proportion to her means than Maine. Her sons stood by the right hand of the martyred President in the vigils of the night, when Chancellorsville tried his soul, and her sons went down with him into the awful gloom of Petersburg and Spottsylvania. Above our heads we have the tattered flags that deck our State House at Augusta, and in our loving memory we forever shall enshrine the names of those who died in honor, or those who came home, as did our gallant Chamberlain, to bear in patient suffering the wounds that heroism encountered. I wish I had the time and the words to picture those scenes of nearly half a century ago; the first flush of those June days when the boys went marching forth, the sound of fife and drum that woke the echoes of our Maine hillsides; the gleam of the Stars and Stripes that rippled on every breeze; the tears we shed, the faith we fashioned into deeds. Let us turn from this, however, to point to the men who stood by the side of the martyred President in the Cabinet and in the executive life of the commonwealth of the loyal North during those days. Have we forgotten the three Wash-

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### LEGISLATIVE EXERCISES.

Ablaze with lights and with balconies and platform decorated with the patriotic colors, red, white and blue, the interior of City hall presented a scene thoroughly in keeping with the Lincoln centennial, which occurred Friday evening under the auspices of a special committee from the 74th Legislature, consisting of Senators Henry H. Hastings, Oxford, Athill E. Irving, Aroostook, George E. Macomber, Kennebec and Representatives Willis B. Hall, Caribou, Alvah H. Donnell, West Bath, Harry M. Bigelow, Portland, Lewis A. Burleigh, Augusta, Walter Ross, Bangor, and William H. Hines, Lewiston. The exercises were presided over by Hon. George G. Weeks of Fairfield, and the speakers of the evening were Prof. Wilmot Brookings Mitchell of Bowdoin College, Hon. Luere B. Deasy of Bar Harbor, President of the Maine Senate, and Prof. George Emory Fellows, president of the University of Maine. An original poem by Prof. Kenneth C. M. Sills of Bowdoin College was read by John Clair Minot of Augusta.

The decorations, which were arranged under the direction of Senator Macomber and Representative Burleigh of this city, deserve more than passing mention. At the rear of the stage was a large American flag upon which was displayed a full length portrait of Lincoln and at either side of the large flag were two smaller ones. In addition to the two large chandeliers and the other regular lights in the hall the lighting scheme was increased many fold in brilliancy by a series of red, white and blue lights, which were suspended from the ceiling and in front of the stage. Evergreen was festooned about the outside of the two balconies and underneath the evergreen were wreaths of red. Evergreen also played an important part in decorating the front of the stage and with the colored lights produced a very pretty effect.

The ushers at the doors of the hall were Sergeants Keyes, Savage, Lewis and Doucett of Co. M, 2d Regiment, N. G. S. M., Augusta. Senator Hastings of Oxford and Representative Hall of Caribou assisted the ushers in looking after the big crowd, which turned out to the centennial, and seldom has so large a crowd been handled so well at any public gathering in this city. Each person as they entered the hall was given a copy of an elaborately gotten up program, which makes an excellent souvenir of the occasion. Upon the cover is a portrait of Lincoln and underneath it the words, "1809-1909 Lincoln Centennial, by the Legislature of Maine, City hall, Augusta, Feb. 12, 1909." On the lower part of the front cover is a facsimile of the State seal, while the insert contained the program of the evening and the names of the committees.

Seated upon the platform were President Luere B. Deasy of the Senate, Speaker George G. Weeks of the House, Senators Henry H. Hastings of Oxford, Athill E. Irving of Aroostook, Lindley M. Staples of Knox, Representatives Willis B. Hall of Caribou, Edward W. Hyde of Bath, Walter Ross of Bangor, Mayor Frederick W. Plaisted of Augusta, Gen. John T. Richards, Governor of the National Soldiers Home, Prof. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Bowdoin College, President George Emory Fellows of the University of Maine, Rev. Leroy W. Coons, John Clair Minot, Augusta; Major A. L. Smith, Capt. G. A. Mitchell, Chaplain H. S. Burrage, Capt. Walter S. A. Kimball and Lieut. Stinson of the National Soldiers Home.

The hall was completely filled before the hour for the opening of the exercises with the exception of seats in the front part of the hall, which were reserved for the members of Cutler Post, G. A. R., Gen. Berry Command, Union Veterans Union, and Tiffany Camp, Spanish War Veterans, and these organizations were greeted with a generous measure of applause and cheers as they marched into the hall bearing their colors.

The music for the occasion was furnished by the full orchestra of 20 pieces from the National Home, with R. W. Thieme as director. The opening number, a march in commemoration of Abraham Lincoln, was composed by the son of Mr. Thieme, Louis F. Thieme. The polka, "Columbian," with cornet solo, by Henry Schueler, fairly took the house by storm and the orchestra and soloist were obliged to respond with an encore. The other num-

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### COTTON NON-CONTRABAND.

#### Put on List by Naval Conference—Victory for Americans.

London, Feb. 12—At today's session of the International Naval Conference it was decided that cotton should be placed upon the list of absolute non contraband articles. This is one of the points for which the American delegates to the conference have been fighting and the outcome is considered a victory for Rear Admiral Charles H. Stockton and Prof. George Grafton Wilson of Brown University.

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## BAIL REFUSED.

### Court Will Hurry Hearing on Morse's Appeal.

### Case Will Be Presented Within Next Two Weeks.

#### Morse May Attend Business Meetings, Escorted by Marshal.

New York, Feb. 12—Charles W. Morse, the financier, will not be admitted to bail pending a hearing on his appeal from his conviction of violating the national bank laws under a decision given today by the United States court of appeals. The court denied his application to be released on bail.

The court in its memorandum said that in order that the interests of neither party be jeopardized it would provide for a speedy hearing of Morse's case on appeal, assigning the case for argument at the present session and giving it preference over all other cases. This, the memorandum said, would admit of the presentation of the case within two weeks. Due consideration, the court said had been given the numerously signed petition asking that the defendant be admitted to bail and his plea that his personal affairs needed his attention, as well as the prosecutor's contention that even under enlarged bail, there would be no assurance that the defendant would present himself should the sentence of conviction be affirmed.

The court also ruled that if Mr. Morse's presence was necessary at meetings in this city to settle his business affairs, he should be permitted to attend them in custody of a marshal.

In a game characterized by repeated penalties and rough playing, Yale defeated Harvard at basketball 22 to 8, Friday at Cambridge. Yale showed superior all round work. Van Vleck of Yale was put off the floor for slugging.

## 60th CONGRESS.

### Lovering Says That Rainey Should Apologize.

### Asserts Ex-convicts Invented Stories of Canal Fraud.

#### Tributes to Lincoln---Indian Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Feb. 12—The charges of corruption and fraud in connection with the Panama canal purchase made by Rep. Rainey recently, were rehashed in the House of Representatives today when Lovering, Mass., entered a sweeping defence of William Nelson Cromwell, William H. Taft, Charles P. Taft and others whom Mr. Rainey named as having been involved in the transaction. Olcott, N. Y., and Bannon, Ohio, [illegible] against Rainey's charge. When Lovering began the Illinois member had gone to the station to take a train for Baltimore, where he was to deliver a Lincoln day address, but he was finally called back, Lovering in the meantime suspending his remarks. Rainey was obliged to leave shortly afterward to keep his engagement, but he announced that he would make a full reply.

The Indian appropriation bill technically was under consideration and all the speeches were made under the rules of general debate. A variety of other subjects was discussed. Sims, Tenn., talked on the dangers of carbon monoxide in illuminating gas. Russell, Mo., took issue with the President in vetoing the James river dam bill, Broadhead, Pa., made a plea for the retention of marines as a branch of the military arms, and Wilson, N. Y., made a legal argument in which he held that the United States was without power or authority to sue a newspaper for libel. About 500 pension bills were passed.

Previous to taking up the Indian bill, brief exercises commemorative of

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## THE WEATHER.

### RAIN OR SNOW COMING.

Washington, Feb. 12—Forecast for New England: Increasing cloudiness Saturday; rain or snow at night or Sunday, colder Sunday, moderate southwest to west winds.

#### Boston Forecast.

Boston, Feb. 12—Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Saturday generally cloudy, probably occasional rain or snow, colder during the night. Sunday fair and much colder. Moderate southwest winds, becoming westerly.

New York and Boston were defeated by the Canadians in the annual international curling contest for the Gordon trophy at Utica, N. Y., Friday, but the fine score by Utica saved the day for the United States. The scores: United States—New York 11, Boston 17, Utica 32; total 59; Canada—Caledonia No. 2, 22, Mechanic 13, [illegible]

WATCHES AND DIAMONDS.
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## A PLOT

### For Dethronement of Sultan Of Turkey Frustrated.

### Discovery Responsible for Recent Changes in Cabinet.

#### Scheme to Place Oldest Son of the Late Sultan on Throne.

Berlin, Feb. 12—The recent changes in the Turkish ministry are due to the discovery of a plot against the Sultan that had for its object his deposition, according to the Constantinople correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung. The plan was to dethrone the Sultan while he was riding to the Selamlik celebration and proclaim as sultan Prince Yussuf Izzedin, the oldest son of the late Sultan [illegible]. The grand vizier, Kiamil Pasha, was fully informed of this conspiracy last week and he consequently asked the Sultan to at once appoint Nazim Pasha to the post of minister of war.

The Sultan, however, was opposed to this because years ago he had banished Nazim Pasha and made him serve 11 years as a common soldier. Owing to the threatened danger, the Sultan finally yielded and made the appointment.

It is reported that the ministers of marine, finance and justice, the correspondent concludes, resigned last night.

### CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Frank A. Thompson, a leading Boston [illegible] dealer, died Friday at his home in Brighton. He was the founder of the Ivers & Pond Piano Co., and one of the early developers of Pennsylvania oil fields. Mr. Thompson was born in Ellsworth, Me., 70 years ago.

TO BREAK UP A COLD
When you feel one coming on, take a hot cup of Sanford's Ginger on retiring

## BREAKS RECORD.

### Balloon Pommern Lands Near Standish Center.

### After Flight of 175 Miles From North Adams.

#### Longest Balloon Trip Ever Made In New England.

Portland, Me., Feb. 12—The longest journey ever made by a balloon from a New England point was completed tonight when the big Pommern, carrying six passengers, came to earth in the town of Standish, close to Lake Sebago, about 6.30, after a flight of approximately 175 miles in an air line from North Adams, Mass. The Pommern is the balloon which won the international race from St. Louis in 1907, when it carried Oscar Erbsloeh of Germany, and H. H. Clayton of Boston close to the Atlantic coast in New Jersey. It has a capacity of 56,000 cubic feet and in addition to being the largest balloon ever sent up in New England, has also the distinction of making the first ascension in New England this year.

In the car were Dr. Julian P. Thomas of New York, the owner of the balloon, Dr. Thomas' 16-year-old son, Colin, Wilbur R. Kimball, Dr. William Greene, Henry Meixner and A. Leo Stevens, all of New York, Mr. Stevens acting as pilot. They left North Adams at 12.05 this afternoon, and adhering to their intentions, did not attempt to make a descent until darkness made it necessary. At 6.30, when they were about 3000 feet in the air, travelling slowly before the light southwest wind which had prevailed all the afternoon, they could see the lights of this city distinctly and but for the darkness would have made an effort to reach here. Dr. Thomas and Mr. Stevens thought it better judgment, however, to descend at once and they made the landing easily and safely, the balloon coming down in a field on the farm of Howard Cole, one mile from the village of Standish Center, which borders Sebago lake. The balloon was packed up and prepared for shipment, an operation which consumed some time, and afterwards the party started by teams for Gorham, 10 miles distant, to take electric cars from there to Portland, where they will spend the night.

The progress of the balloon from North Adams across the states of Vermont and New Hampshire was reported from many points during the day, the clear air making it easily visible. It took a northeasterly direction at the start, passing over Brattleboro and Keene, Hillsboro and Con-

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# TAFT'S DESIRE

## Is To Represent Whole American Nation.

## Lavishly Entertained by People Of New Orleans.

### Will Leave Today For Cincinnati, Arriving Sunday Evening.

New Orleans, Feb 12—President-elect Taft enjoyed the distinctive spirit of New Orleans hospitality today and tonight. His morning was devoted to the Negro race, his afternoon to leisure and recreation, with the tension of entertainment as light as possible, and with the shades of evening there gathered about him a genial host of eminence and rank.

The feature tonight was a Creole banquet, where the savoriness of the cuisine, with its backing of years of reputation, blended with compliments, oratory, music and floral tribute, made a scene of animation and vivacity, tempered with respect and dignity.

A feeling invocation was pronounced by Cardinal Gibbons, who is in the city visiting his brother. Mr Taft responded in the spirit of the occasion, and talked of his desire as the Chief executive to represent the whole nation, and of his recent visit to the Isthmus of Panama.

The dinner was given in the newly decorated banquet hall of the Grunewald hotel, where Mr Taft is quartered. A thousand citizens paid $25 each for places at the board.

The spacious corridors of the hotel presented a brilliant scene during the evening, being the assembling place of the many who could not attend the dinner.

Although conferences during the day were held between Mr. Taft and Mr Hitchcock, his postmaster general, and Treasurer Upham of the National Republican committee, nothing definite was obtainable regarding the undecided places in the cabinet.

In his speech to the Negroes who greeted him by thousands at the ball park today, Mr. Taft reiterated his heretofore well-defined principles regarding the development of the Negro race and the settlement of the race question.

The telegraphic correspondence between Mr Taft and Senator Knox made public here today is regarded as making it clear that the disposition of Congress to remove any constitutional obstacles in the way of the appointment to a cabinet position of the Pennsylvania senator is most desirable.

Mr and Mrs Taft will leave here for Cincinnati tomorrow morning, arriving there Sunday morning. Monday afternoon the President-elect will start for Washington.

## GOV. FERNALD AT PORTLAND.

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burns, born in the hills of Maine, Representatives in Congress from three different States, each of them incorruptible in honesty and inspired by the loftiest patriotism? Have we forgotten the three Fessendens, dear to the memory of this, their native city of Portland, and all of them members of the same Congress that assembled on the day that Lincoln came from Springfield to Washington to take up the greatest burden a man had ever undertaken until then? Were ever men more loyal? Was ever man more true to his great soul, and more just to his remarkable ability in his devotion to the loftiest public service than William Pitt Fessenden? Would that we had more like him today. Have we forgotten the reckless, fiery patriotism of Owen Lovejoy of Illinois, a son of Maine, brother to that early martyr of the abolition cause? Have we forgotten the keen and incisive journalist, that uncompromising patriot, Frederick A. Pike of Calais, who sat in that Congress of 1861? Have we forgotten Goodwin and the Morrills and Walton and Rice? Have we forgotten the fine, true heart of Israel Washburn, who, Blaine says, was "impulsive, energetic, devoted to the cause of the Union in which he was sustained with the noblest enthusiasm by the people of the State without regard to party?" Have we forgotten that lofty soul, the greatest of all war governors of the North, John A. Andrews of Massachusetts, who was born but a little way from here, in the town of North Windham, and who used to come back to Maine every year to stand by the grave of his mother in the little church yard of that lovely country town? No word of ours can fitly describe the pure glow of this man for the service of his country, for it burned into such fiery zeal that it fairly lighted the North into a flame of patriotism, in whose light and warmth Lincoln found comfort for his weary soul. And have we forgotten, also, that by the side of Lincoln stood a son of Maine, the 100th anniversary of whose birth falls within this year of 1909, the Vice President of the Union from 1861 to 1865, that noble old Carthaginian, Hannibal Hamlin of Maine, whose genial word, whose tender sympathy and whose glorious devotion to his country are yet an inspiration to the sons of Maine.

The occasion that calls us here tonight is not, however, the glorification of Maine. We are here in common with hundreds, or it may be thousands, of similar gatherings throughout the land to commemorate the 100th birthday of Abraham Lincoln. Only a few days ago I heard two men discuss the present attitude of the world towards Lincoln's memory. One of the men declared that the present eulogy of Lincoln was being overdone; that this was the climax of an ebullient period of so-called Lincolnism, that Lincoln was not a great man; that he lacked initiative; that he found few ways out of difficulties; that when he was in a state of indecision he passed it over by relying on the Lord and that as a consequence, his addresses are full of such expressions. The other man disagreed with him, he insisted that Lincoln's frequent appeals in the support of the Lord but reflected his fundamental belief that God helps the cause of the right and answers the appeals of the righteous, and that so far from an indication of weakness it was an element of strength to Lincoln and a comfort and support to the people. He also insisted that this is but the beginning of Lincoln's fame, and that his name is to stand as the greatest yet developed in the history of this Western world.

I am not going to ask how you feel on this question, for I think I already know. The first of these two men never saw Lincoln, never sympathized with the war, never cared whether the slaves were bond or free. The other man stood by Lincoln when he raised the flag at the White House at Washington, and he went on with the armies of the Union to the front and stood there up to the battle of the Wilderness, turning back only when his life blood traced a thin red line along the torn and trampled earth. Which of the two, think you, knew Lincoln the better? Which of the two could better understand why in the vigils of those days and nights Lincoln's heart turned with its burden to the Lord! Nothing in all the Lincoln literature that floods the current publications touches us like this pathetic suggestion of the loneliness of Abraham Lincoln. To me, he seems like one of the old line of Hebrew prophets. He had their vision and their prophecy, their gift of speech and he shared, as I have said, their loneliness and their majesty. If he lightened his outward converse, with story or jest, it was to relieve the sombre background of his profoundly thoughtful and prophetic life. Like them, he knew how to wait and how to forbear. It seemed as if he could look beyond the veil and see the hour when he could strike for freedom. How many times we have heard the story of the impetuous demands of the North for immediate emancipation. Who, but the man steeped in the philosophy of an issue, could bide his time until the psychological moment when he could break the bonds that had been forged about the millions of the South? I do not intend to attempt any analysis of Lincoln's character. Others have done it far better than I can do it. It is enough that he loved this nation tenderly. It is enough that he suffered and was strong. It is for these human elements of his great life that this nation loves, as well as venerates, the name of Lincoln, and it is significant that his sad, lonely life touches us more heavily, more realistically today than it did even in that hysterical hour when we fell as a nation to our knees and sobbed out our hearts above his prostrate form.

Lincoln struggled for political liberty. Today we have every political liberty we desire and more than we need. The issues that face us are those of social and economic, not political inequities. These must be met and settled and settled right. We must save our national domain for the use of the people—not for use against the people. We must purify the market places. We must drive the money-changers out of the temple of justice, out of the control of our Legislatures and our Congresses. We must face these questions—not in spirit of bitterness and revenge, but with minds open and devoted to justice. In this coming battle for political and economic justice and for popular sovereignty may Lincoln point the way. With "malice to none, with charity to all," may his pure spirit be a mentor to the people. If that is to be the case, then, indeed, will Lincoln never die; for the millions today cry out for a savior even as the voices of them that went up to Father Abraham 50 years ago.

Congressman Dawson made an eloquent eulogy of Lincoln. Representative Cole, who has previously spoken in Maine, delivered an interesting address. Two letters written in 1859 by Abraham Lincoln, respecting himself in response to a request for his autobiography, were read by Congressman Allen to illustrate the modesty of Lincoln.

## BANGOR'S OBSERVANCE.

### Big Attendance at Public Meeting in City Hall—Stirring Addresses.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 12—The Lincoln centenary was observed here tonight with a public meeting in City hall, where 2000 people heard brief addresses by Gen Charles Hamlin and President David N. Beach of Bangor Theological Seminary, and a notable oration by Herbert M Heath of Augusta on the character and achievements of the emancipator.

Music was furnished by the Bangor Band and by a chorus of 200 school children.

## AT MONMOUTH.

### Exercises by Schools and Able Address By Rev. H. E. Dunnack.

Monmouth, Me., Feb. 12—(Special).—The Lincoln Centenary exercises at Cumston hall, Monmouth, under the auspices of Norris Post, G. A. R., and Relief Corps, were very impressive. The executive committee in charge consisted of the following ladies: Mrs. Allie Perkins, Mrs Mabel Blake, Mrs Lizzie Sprague, Mrs George Mucomber, Mrs Cuthie Rundlette and Mrs Bernice Wallace. Mrs. D. W Folsom, patriotic instructor, directed the exercises given by the schools. The ladies served dinner in Cauens hall at noon, at which a large number were present.

The exercises in the Opera house began at 1.30 o'clock. Capt. A. C Sherman, a veteran of the Civil War, called the assembly to order and acted as chairman. The exercises by the schools were well given. Miss Hazel Shaw sang very sweetly and the orchestral selections were played with much spirit and good effect. Ray Packard's recital of "Lincoln at Gettysburg," as told by Col Clark Carr, believed to be the only member of the Gettysburg Cemetery Commission now living, was finely done and the Gettysburg address included in his selection was spoken with much dignity and effectiveness.

An able address was given by Rev. H. E. Dunnack of Augusta, whose speech was an eloquent tribute to the character of the great Lincoln. Mr. Dunnack referred to the childhood and youth of Lincoln and the influence upon his character of the early-lost mother, of whom Lincoln always spoke as his "angel mother," and the stepmother whose ambition and practical good sense roused the ambition of the young Lincoln. The influence of these two mothers together with his natural executive ability and his tender-hearted justice and integrity made him great, was Mr Dunnack's summary.

The hall was appropriately decorated with flags and portraits of Lincoln. Veterans of the Civil War and others occupied the platform. Each person present wore a badge with picture of Lincoln.

Especial mention should be made of the exercise by the Monmouth Neck school, Miss Cushman teacher, which showed wonderful ability and most careful training.

Following is the program:

March, Prescott's Orchestra
Hail America! Miss Hazel Shaw
Mollility,
Margaret Bates, North Monmouth school
Address, Rev. H. E. Dunnack, Augusta
Song of Four Seasons, Miss Shaw
Lincoln at Gettysburg, Roy Packard
Star Spangled Banner, Orchestra
Rising of '61, Monmouth Neck school
When Lincoln Died,
Jesse Richardson, North Monmouth School
Battle Hymn of the Republic,
Monmouth Center school with orchestra
Abraham Lincoln,
Carrol Jackson, North Monmouth school
Singing—America, Audience

## AT RICHMOND.

### Schools and Citizens Join in Appropriate Observance of Day.

Richmond, Me., Feb 12—(Special)—The centennial anniversary of Lincoln's birth was fittingly observed by the Richmond schools Friday afternoon at the Methodist church. Supervisor of Schools C. D. Nowell arranged a fine program and all the schools took part in the exercises. The program:

Singing—Star Spangled Banner, School
Prayer, Rev. I. O. Beane
Recitation, Lillian Dunlap
Exercise,
Carl Gibbs, Aldena Allen, Ethel Roach, Frances Meserve
Quotations from Lincoln,
Mr Seekins' school
Recitation, Hazel Castner
Recitation, Leon Shepard
Dialogue—Honor of Lincoln,
Boys from Miss Starbird's school
Recitation, Ruth Bonker
Recitation, Elsie Shepard
Dialogue, Abbie Hursey, Alice Chapman
Song, Miss Starbird's school
Recitation—Offerings to Lincoln,
Lizzie Watson
Lincoln Story, By schools
Remarks,
Hon. C. D. Nowell, superintendent of schools, Rev. I. O. Beane and Hon H. R. Drew
Singing, Schools

Miss Mildred Peak is at the Western Union Telegraph office, Pittsfield, taking the place of H. E. Ordway, who is ill.

Lewis Gaubert is taking Ray McKenney's place at Bibber's drug store this week, Mr. McKenney being called to Wiscasset by the death of his grandfather.

Max Goldberg of Gardiner has bought the dry goods stock of the late C. B. Watts on Main street.

Miss Frances B. Adams, who has been spending a few days with Mrs. T. J. Southard, returned Thursday to her home in Boston.

The Junior exhibition of the Class of 1910, Richmond High school, will take place in the Methodist church March 5.

Harry P. Higgins of U. of Maine is spending a few days at the home of W. G. Crocker.

Norman Call of Rockland is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Victor Call.

## AT HEBRON ACADEMY.

### Centennial Observance on Friday With a Fine Program.

Hebron, Me., Feb. 12—(Special)—The following program was carried out today at Hebron Academy in observance of the centennial of Lincoln's birthday:

"America," Students
Biographical Sketch, A. W. Newcombe
Life of Hannibal Hamlin, Edna Beason
The Character of Lincoln, Mr Sargent
Springfield Address, Clarence Brown
Mortality, William Knox
(Read by Arthur Minister)
"Battle Hymn of the Republic," Students
Second Inaugural Address, J. E. Philoon
"O Captain! My Captain!"
Lucy O. Teague
Violin solo, Carl F. Briggs
(Accompanied by Leah Hoxie)
The Sentiment of the Country at the Time of Lincoln's Martyrdom,
A. R. Crane, D. D.
"Tenting Tonight on the Old Camp Ground," Lee Walker

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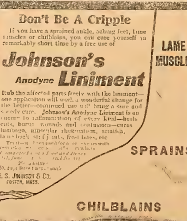

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### New Coliseum Crowded Friday To the Very Doors

#### To Attend Centenary Addresses and Other Exercises.

A crowd which jammed the great Coliseum building to the doors gathered Friday evening to honor the memory of Abraham Lincoln, on the occasion of the 100th anniversary of his birth.

Long before the hour for the opening of the exercises, the doors were besieged and every available seat was taken and standing room was at a premium as early as 7.15 P. M.

The G. A. R., S. of V., and Spanish War Veterans were escorted from G. A. R. hall by the Gardiner Band and Co. A, 2d Regiment, N. G. S. M. Upon arriving at the Coliseum the band took its position in the orchestra and the various patriotic bodies took the seats reserved for them.

At 7.50, amid applause, the curtain rose, disclosing the speakers of the evening and 200 school children seated on the stage.

The commander of Heath Post, G. A. R., introduced Mayor Will C. Atkins as the presiding officer of the evening. Mayor Atkins introduced Rev. Luther F. McKinney of the Universalist church, who offered a fervent prayer.

The chorus of school children rendered "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." The chorus was made up of children from Grades VI, VII and VIII of the Highland avenue, Central and South Gardiner Grammar schools.

"A Sketch of the Life of Abraham Lincoln" was presented by Comrade G. E. Joy.

"Three Cheers for the Red, White and Blue," was sung by the chorus, the lights being flashed in accordance with the words of the song.

"Tenting Tonight," was sung by a quartet and the number was enthusiastically encored. They responded with "Kentucky Home." The quartet consisted of Eugene Chase, Norman Trafton, Frank Anderson and Edgar Anderson. "An Old Song" was the title of a beautiful poem by Mrs. Laura E. Richards, the delivery of which was roundly applauded.

Miss Wadsworth and the school children rendered in spirited fashion "The Star Spangled Banner."

"Old Glory" was the title of a patriotic poem read by Comrade G. E. Joy, which was much appreciated.

A selection was rendered by the quartet. Judge A. M. Spear was then introduced as the orator of the evening.

Judge Spear said that he would speak on "American Citizenship, Its Sources and Purposes," of which Abraham Lincoln was a great example. He said in part:

We are all able to select notable instances of great citizens. The great majority of great men have come from the farm. On the other hand we have but few instances of heredity in the cases of those who have contributed most to the growth of the nation. Wealth tends to produce indolence, idleness and conceit. The life of the farm is calculated to produce the best results.

Idleness is undoubtedly the most damaging endowment which a parent can bestow upon his boy. My experience is that character is the endowment of nature. The distinction between the rich boy and the poor boy is the advantage of the sturdy discipline of the one over the enforced idleness of the other.

The speaker commended to the attention of his hearers the qualities of courage and fearlessness.

He said that the past 25 years have witnessed greed and political aggression such as never before been seen in the history of our country.

It is the unlawful combination of power to which objection is made. Everything seemed to be going by default. The concentration of wealth had become so great that it had assumed a position of haughty defiance even to the government itself.

The speaker then paid a tribute to President Theodore Roosevelt for the stand which he took in this exigency.

Judge Spear counted three epochs in the history of our country. The stormy period through which the nation was piloted by Washington; the period which witnessed the service of Abraham Lincoln, and that epoch existing at the present time.

Courage and fearlessness are the most necessary attributes in the discharge of civic duty. Be sure you are right and then go ahead.

Considering the tendencies of the times, Judge Spear said that members of corporations do acts collectively which no one in his individual capacity would think of doing. What is the duty of good citizenship in checking and correcting our errors?

It is necessary for the public conscience to be educated. Perhaps the strongest word in the dictionary of the English language is the little adverb "No." To say "No" to the doing of wrong is to say "Yes" to the doing of right.

The speaker then cited instances from history. The most comprehensive embodiment of the principles of good citizenship is found in Abraham Lincoln.

The speaker closed with an eloquent peroration.

The band played a medley in which patriotic and popular airs were mingled, and the audience, particularly the younger portion, applauded almost continually for several minutes until the band responded with a march.

The audience joined with the chorus in the singing of "America" and the program closed with the pronouncing of the benediction by Rev. L. H. McKinney.

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Dura Stanchfield of Easton, Aroostook county, was the guest Friday of Rev. C. E. Jones, Randolph.

A Masquerade ball will be held at the Grange hall, French's Corner this evening with music by Lee's Orchestra.

Miss Anna Gardiner and a party of nine friends whom she has been entertaining at Oaklands, left Friday for Boston.

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The address on "Lincoln the Practical," by Ira G. Hersey, Esq., of Houlton, at the Highland Avenue Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning, will be of much interest to all, and a large number will doubtless avail themselves of this opportunity of hearing this gifted speaker.

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### Randolph M. E. Revival.

The revival meeting at the M. E. church, Randolph, was largely attended Friday and an interested company joined with the choir in singing the patriotic songs which were thrown upon the screen. Mr. Haynes took for his text I Timothy vi.12: "Fight the good fight of faith; lay hold on eternal life." Mrs. Haynes and Miss Connat sang one of the prominent songs of the Chapman meeting, "Who Could It Be," which was much enjoyed by the audience.

It is expected that Sunday will be a great day. The special music, the stirring sermons will be arranged to make this a day among days.

The subject for the morning service will be "At the Cross." At the evening service Mr. Haynes will take for his subject "Heaven."

A new feature in these services will be introduced at 3.30 Sunday afternoon in the form of a men's meeting and all men are invited to attend. New features in music will be given. The Sunday school is in on the contest with neighboring Sunday schools. The pastor will hold the Bible class in the auditorium after the opening exercises of the school.

### Church Notices.

Universalist church. Sermon at 10.30 A. M.; Young People's meeting at 6 P. M.; lecture at 7 P. M., subject, "Lincoln as a Moral Force in the World."

Winder Street chapel. Elder Hiram Mains of South Portland will speak at 2.30 and 7 P. M.

Highland Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. J. R. Clifford pastor. Lincoln's day service with address by Ira G. Hersey, Esq., of Houlton at 10.30 A. M., subject, "Lincoln the Practical." Annual offering for the Freedmen's Aid Society. Sunday school and Clifford Bible class for men at 12 M.; Junior League at 3 P. M.; Epworth League, led by Miss Edith Wilson, at 6 P. M., subject: "Fields for Christian Service," praise and gospel service, led by the pastor, at 7 P. M.; meeting of the Brotherhood of Saint Paul at the vestry Monday evening at 7.30; mid-week prayer meeting, led by Albert M. Page, Wednesday at 7.30 P. M.; class meeting, led by S. E. Johnson, Friday evening at 7.30.

First Baptist church, L. H. Clarke pastor: Public worship at 10.30 with sermon by the pastor; text, "Ye Are Our Epistle Known and Read of All Men"—2 Cor. iii-2; Sunday school at 12; Junior C. E. at 5 o'clock; evening meeting led by the pastor at 7 o'clock; mid-week prayer meeting at 7.30 P. M. Wednesday.

Christ church (Sexagesima Sunday): Holy communion, 7.30; morning prayer, sermon, 10.30; Sunday school and women's Bible class at 12; evening prayer, address 7. At the 10.30 service the rector will preach on "The Religious Side of Lincoln's Life."

Congregational church: Morning worship at 10.30 with sermon on "Lincoln" by the pastor. Sunday school at 11.45, evening service conducted by the Votaries of the Holy Cross at 7 o'clock; subject "Life Lessons for Me from the Book of Job," the Brotherhood of the Holy Cross will meet at 7.45; Wednesday evening service at 7.30, subject "The Social Consciousness as Applied to the Church."

Free Baptist church, Rev. W. W. Hayden pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 A. M.; subject "The Blind Man Receiving Sight," Sunday school at 11.45; Junior Endeavor Society at 3 P. M.; Senior Endeavor Society at 6 P. M.; the people's gospel service at 7 P. M.; Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7.30; Brotherhood meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M.

M. E. church, Randolph, Rev. C. E. Jones pastor. Morning service at 10.30 with preaching by Rev. Chas. S. Haynes of the Evangelistic Association of Boston, subject: "At the Cross," special music; Sunday school at close of the morning service; pastor's Bible class in the auditorium, evening service at 7, subject, "Heaven," men's meeting at 3.30—a straight talk to men; special music at this service.

M. E. chapel, Chelsea, Rev. C. E. Jones pastor. Sunday school at 2 P. M.; sermon by the pastor at 3.30 P. M.

# SOUTH GARDINER.

Mrs. A. B. Libby passed Wednesday in Portland.

Miss Maud Parsons, principal of the Grammar school, is spending a few days at her home in Alna.

Mrs. Fred Fogg and granddaughter, Miss Floris, went to Westbrook Thursday for a few days' visit with relatives.

W. W. Brower and family, who have been spending a few weeks at their home here, left Friday for their home in New York.

Rev. Isabelle Phelps of Springfield was the guest Thursday of Rev. and Mrs. Robert Lawton. Miss Phelps left Friday morning for Irasburg, Vt.

Rev. W. S. Jones, D. D., of Portland will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, who has been called away to attend the funeral of a former parishioner in South Portland.

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# HALLOWELL.

## Death of James H. Fish Early Friday Morning.

### City Hall Crowded for Lincoln Day Exercises.

#### Interesting Program Finely Carried Out by School Children.

James H. Fish, a veteran of the Civil War, died at his home on Second street at an early hour yesterday morning, after a lingering illness. He was nearly 81 years old. Mr. Fish enlisted Sept. 15, 1862, for nine months, in the 24th Maine and was assigned to Co. K. He was continually with his command performing every duty assigned him with fidelity. He was promoted to corporal for bravery. He was honorably discharged Aug. 13, 1863.

He was a member of John B. Hubbard Post, No. 20, which Post will attend his funeral; also the Woman's National Relief Corps. The funeral will take place from his late residence at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, Rev. H. L. Nichols officiating. A widow and six children survive. His sons are George W., John F., Horace D. and J. Herbert Fish. The daughters are Mrs. Lizzie Thompson of New Hampshire and Mrs. George Randall of this city. Postmaster F. M. Fish is a nephew.

### Lincoln Day Observance.

The 100th anniversary of Lincoln's birthday was observed here last night in a manner that did honor to all who took part. The children had been carefully trained and there was not a hitch in any part of the exercises. The City hall was crowded; there was not a vacant seat; standing room was at a premium and many were turned away. The hall was elaborately decorated in the national colors. The following program was carried out:

Singing—"Battle Hymn of the Republic," Glee Club
Prayer, Rev. J. W. Steele
An Exercise on the Flag, Grade III
Crowning Lincoln, Grade IV
Things that Lincoln Said and Things That Lincoln Was, Grade V
Biographical Sketches, Grade VI
Flag Salute
"Star Spangled Banner," Grades VII, VIII, IX
Essay—Life of Lincoln, Miss Olive Paine
Flag Drill, High School Girls
Singing—"Rally 'Round the Flag," Glee Club
Remarks, Gen. C. W. Tilden
Solo, Miss Haines
Gettysburg Speech, Harry Fuller
Remarks, Hon. Fred Emery Beane
Singing—"America," Glee Club

Mayor D. C. Skillin presided and the S. of V. acted as ushers. Special mention should be made of the remarks by Hon. Fred E. Beane, in which he paid beautiful tribute to Lincoln and urged upon the children the necessity of emulating the greatness of his character.

The remarks of Gen. C. W. Tilden, the man whom Hallowell delights to honor, met with special favor. It was a beautiful spectacle to witness the eagerness upon the part of the children as they listened to the story of his army and prison life and how he made his escape from Libby. The centenary was worth all the labor it cost for the good it will do the children.

Mrs. Wentworth, wife of Judge George L. Wentworth of Boston, is the guest of Miss Clara Lord.

Miss Emma Cass of Academy street has returned to her home, after having passed several weeks with her sister in Waterville.

The local Assembly of Shoe Cutters will hold its second annual ball at City hall, Thursday evening, Feb. 18. Music by Lee's Orchestra.

The Old South League will meet Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock with Miss Florence Harding on Page street.

Dudley Black has purchased of Albert Dennison, the peanut stand on the corner of Water and Central streets and will at once open for business.

Miss Lida Barton, one of the stenographers connected with the Hallowell Heart Cure Co., is quite sick with grip at her home in Waterville.

The members of John B. Hubbard, National Relief Corps, No. 90, are requested to meet at Golden Cross hall at 1.30 Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of the late James Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. James Field went to Togus Thursday to celebrate the 70th anniversary of Mr. Field's father, who is living at that place with his daughter, Mrs. Edward Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Goodwin were called to Wells yesterday by the illness of Mr. Goodwin's father. At his advance age of 89 years but little hopes can be entertained for his recovery.

The Epworth League will hold a musical at the M. E. church Thursday evening, Feb. 18, instead of Tuesday evening as before slated. Some of the best talent from the two cities has been secured and all are assured of a fine entertainment.

W. B. Collins, who has been employed at the Johnson Bros. Shoe factory here for the past 18 months has severed his connection with the firm and removed his family to Lynn, Mass., having accepted a position in that city, his former home.

Linton Kennison, the second cook at the Hallowell House was painfully and probably seriously burned on his arm and face Thursday. He was working about the range when some lard fell into the fire, causing a blaze that quickly leaped to the parts mentioned. Dr. J. D. Nutting, Jr., is rendering medical aid and making the patient as comfortable as possible.

### Church Notices.

First Baptist church, Rev. B. F. Turner pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M.; subject "Workingmen and the Church;" Bible school at 11.45 A. M., Junior Endeavor meeting at 3 P. M.; Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.15 P. M.; evening subject: "What Meaneth This?"

Old South church, Rev. C. E. Beals pastor. 10.30 A. M., sermon by pastor; 11.45, Sunday school; 6.15 P. M., Y. P. S. C. E.

First Universalist church, Rev. J. W. Steele, pastor, will preach at 10.30 A. M., Sunday school at 11.45; evening, at 7.

Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. H. L. Nichols pastor: 10.30, sermon on "Lincoln" by the pastor; 12 Sunday school, 3, Junior League, 7, evangelistic service.

St. Matthew's church, Rev. W. F. Livingston rector (Sexagesima Sunday): Morning service at 10.30; Sunday school at 11.45 A. M.

# WINTHROP.

The Board of Trade at the meeting held here the first of the week appointed the following committees:

Finance committee, L. T. Carleton, R. Alden, I. O. Gage; manufactures, J. H. McIlroy, C. O. Sturtevant, H. E. Wadsworth; town improvement and public benefits, R. Alden, R. C. McIlroy, Dr. C. W. Taggart; taxation, J. G. Yealon, M. F. Norcross, Willis Cobb, membership, A. H. Bailey, J. M. Towle, F. S. Jackson; good roads, E. W. Wentworth, C. A. Cummings, Mr. Sprague; public safety, J. A. Foster, F. E. Webb, W. E. Hayward, summer resort, C. F. Kilbreth, F. E. Bearce, H. D. Wood, fire insurance, L. E. Jones, E. T. Clifford, H. P. Miller; honest government and pure elections, G. W. Bates, E. W. Macomber, Harry Stevens, Chas. S. Towle, A. P. Lewis.

A party of friends were entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Penniman in honor of their wedding anniversary, the affair being something of a surprise to Mr. Penniman. The evening was spent at Bridge. A banquet was served in the dining room, which was very daintily decorated, a beautiful centerpiece of carnations being a feature. The guests were: J. M. Pulsifer, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Carleton, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cobb, Mrs. Annette Giles, Miss Ida Morrill, Mrs. Winnie Gale, L. B. Jones, E. R. Jones and Willis Bailey.

All the schools closed Friday in observance of Lincoln day. Special exercises were held in all the village schools Thursday. The Grammar and High schools held joint exercises in the High school room and gave a splendid entertainment which included the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean" and "America," essays having to with the life of Lincoln by Cora Besonnette, Charles Willey, Roland Stackford, Marie Hinds and Josie Penney, and recitations by Violet French and Clifton Titus, who represented the Grammar school; an essay by Harold Clifford and recitations by Ralph Putnam, Ruth Wood and Dorothy Webb of the High school. Interesting remarks were made by Mr. Bean, principal of the High school, and C. W. Holman of Hallowell, superintendent of schools.

The second of the series of illustrated lectures was given Thursday evening at the Methodist church. A large audience was present and all professed themselves as greatly pleased with the entertainment. The subject was "The Head Hunters and Their Neighbors, or Touring Through Malaysia with Bishop Warne," and the pictures comprised a rare collection of hand-painted views. Next Thursday "China's Teeming Millions in the Cities of the Yangtse" will be the subject, and promises to be most interesting and instructive.

Mrs. J. L. Cobb entertained the Ladies' Whist Club this week. Miss Nora Towle carried off the prize, a Japanese dish, with a score of 38. Refreshments were served.

Lincoln exercises were held in the East Winthrop school Thursday, consisting of songs and recitations by the pupils and an essay by Marion Stone. The schoolroom was prettily decorated with bunting and flags and the entertainment was much enjoyed.

"The Tears of Divinity" will be the subject of the sermon at the Methodist church Sunday morning. By special request Mrs. A. L. Leech will repeat the solo she sang a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Robert Macomber is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Annie Currier, in Augusta.

At the evening service at the Congregational church Sunday "Convocation Week at Bangor" is the subject, and the pastor will give an interesting account of the convocation which he recently attended. "God with Us" is the subject of the morning service.

Samuel B. Edwards has announced himself as a candidate for road commissioner.

# NATIONAL HOME.

Officer of the day, Capt. George A. L. Snow.

Stephen B. Peck, driver of the delivery team at the Home, is confined in the hospital.

Durack Rowen has been detailed as Post Fund clerk, in place of Edwin Austin, relieved yesterday.

Three members have received an increase, James D. Thornton, $12; Arthur W. Cox $17; and James Evans $12.

Religious services at the Home chapel Sunday morning will be as follows: Mass and sermon by Rev. Fr. Nelligan at 7.45 and Protestant services by Rev. H. S. Burrage at 10.15 A. M.

The funeral of the late John C. Heenan will be held from the Home chapel at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. Fr. Nelligan officiating. Capt. Jones will command the escort.

About 150 members, including the Home Band, went to Augusta last evening on special cars to attend the Lincoln day observances in City hall. The body acted as escort to Colonel Richards, governor of the Home, and staff under the marshalship of Major Comins, adjutant and commander of Cutler Post, G. A. R.

### Charles Haskell.

Charles Haskell passed away in the Home hospital here Thursday night. Mr. Haskell was born in Ipswich, Mass., Dec. 24, 1839, and was an agent. He enlisted in Co. A, 14th Mass. Inf., at Ipswich July 5, 1861, and was mustered out as first lieutenant of the 38th U. S. Colored Troops Oct. 28, 1866. He was admitted to the Home from Ipswich Jan. 8, 1907.

### The Lincoln Day Exercises.

A very fitting observance of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln was held in the Opera house yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. The ceremonies began with a march by the orchestra and a cornet solo by Mr. Schueler. After the invocation by Chaplain Burrage, Mrs. Atkins sang the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," which was excellent. Next, General Connor gave a fine sketch of the life of the great Emancipator, following him from his birth to his death. Patrick Hayes read Lincoln's Gettysburg address and Charles E. Turner read an original poem on the life of the great President. Next Mrs. Atkins sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Capt. W. S. Oakman addressed the audience with a few words on the life and character of Lincoln, also told of some incidents of Lincoln and the soldiers during the war.

The ceremonies were concluded by singing "America" by the entire assemblage, Mrs. Atkins leading, and benediction by Chaplain Burrage.

### Saturday and Sunday Concerts.

March—"The Stars and Stripes Forever," Sousa
Overture—"Semiramide," Rossini
Air Varie—"The Last Rose of Summer," Kumer
Flute solo by Max Mazelow
Selection from Op. "Rigoletto," Verdi, arr. Moses
Waltzes—"Thelma" (first time), Andrews
"The Jolly Musicians" Muscat

## Johnson Will Give Jefferies a Chance.

Melbourne, Feb 12.—"I am willing to fight James J. Jeffries, 'Tommy' Burns or any other man alive, in England, America, Australia or any part of the civilized world, where sufficient inducements are offered."

This was the farewell message of Jack Johnson, the champion heavyweight pugilist, on the eve of his departure for Sydney to catch a steamer that will take him across the Pacific en route to the United States. A fight for the championship, however, must be deferred for some months, for it is Johnson's purpose first to fulfill a theatrical engagement in London and then to take part in a limited round bout before the National Sporting Club in that city with Sam Langford.

Johnson's statement was clear and concise—the element of "bluff" was entirely absent. He declared that he was out for business and barred nobody from seeking to take from him the honors he wrested from "Tommy" Burns at Sydney on Dec 26 last. Johnson will leave here tomorrow for Sydney to catch the steamer Makura, which will sail next Monday for Vancouver, where she is due about March 12. From Vancouver Johnson will go to Galveston, Texas, where he will spend a week with his parents.

"I will do no boxing or other business in the United States when I arrive there and I have given no authority for the statement that has been published that I will then fight Stanley Ketchell," Johnson said. "I understood that Jeffries had definitely said that he never again would re-enter the ring. If, however, Jeffries has decided to accept the purse of $75,000 offered by Sam Allen of Melbourne for a match in Australia with me, I am willing to return here in 12 months' time and give him a chance to win the title he once held.

"I have arranged to reach London the first week in April, and probably immediately will commence my Music hall engagements. The contest between Langford and myself before the National Sporting Club has been provisionally fixed for Derby night, but the date will not be definitely determined until I arrive in London.

"I am out for business all the time, as the people of England will find out when I get there."

### BREAKS THE RECORD.

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cord, N. H., after which a change in the air current sent it in a more easterly direction to Rochester, N. H. The balloon passed over Rochester so near the earth that the name on the gas bag could be read plainly. From there another shift of the wind carried it again northeastly across York county in this State, until the landing was made. The distance covered exceeds by 40 miles the longest journey ever previously made by a balloon in New England. The former record was held by William Van Sleet and Dr. Stowell of Pittsfield, Mass., who last year went from Pittsfield to Plymouth, Mass., a distance of about 135 miles.

All the members of the party said when they arrived here tonight that the trip was most delightful. Dr. Thomas' son, who is believed to be the youngest of all recorded balloon voyagers, was especially enthusiastic over his experience.

Dr. Thomas said the highest elevation reached was 8200 feet and that between that height and the earth they found currents of air of varying directions so that they could have journeyed to almost any part of the compass. "At a height of 8000 feet, said Dr. Thomas, "our instruments recorded a temperature of three degrees above zero, but none of the party minded this cold so much as the temperature close to the earth, where, although the mercury stood at 48 in the sun, the north wind made it very disagreeable.

Dr. Thomas said that by using certain air currents it would have been easy to have brought the balloon over Boston, but that all the members of the party desired to go further. When they came in sight of Sebago lake their view was partly obscured by mist and they were uncertain of their position. After throwing out ballast so that the balloon rose to its highest elevation, 8200 feet, and finding that they were still unable to see over the wall of mist, they decided to come to earth. The barometer showed that they dropped 3600 feet in less than two minutes, after which the descent was more gradual.

All the members of the party are members of the Aeronautic Society of New York and are interested in aerial navigation.

### COLLEGE Y. W. C. A.

#### Over 100 Delegates Attend the State Conference at Lewiston.

Lewiston, Me., Feb. 12.—Over 100 delegates are in attendance at the conference of the Y. W. C. A. of the schools and colleges of Maine, which opened here this evening, Mrs. A. W. Anthony presiding. President George C. Chase of Bates College gave the address of welcome to the delegates and Mrs. John F. Thompson replied for the visiting delegates. The address of the evening was delivered by Rey. Raymond Calkins of Portland.

## COMMITTEE NOTICES.

### AGRICULTURE.

The committee on agriculture will meet in the commissioner of agriculture room Thursday at 4 o'clock P. M each week.

Per order,
W. S. BEMIS, Secretary.

### APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

The committee on appropriations and financial affairs will hold regular meetings in the Senate chamber, State of Maine, Augusta, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 2 o'clock P M

GEORGE H. EATON, Chairman
EDWARD W. HYDE, Secretary

### BANKS AND BANKING.

Meetings of the Committee on Banks and Banking will be held on Wednesday of each week at 2 o'clock P. M

H. E COOLIDGE, Sec.

### CLAIMS.

The committee on claims will hold regular meetings, every Thursday at 2 P. M.

CHAS. O. BEALS, Sec.

### EDUCATION.

The Committee on Education will meet, until further notice, at the State House, Room No. 44, on Thursday of each week at 2 o'clock P. M

OTIS S TRAFTON, Secretary.

### FORESTRY AND WATER SUPPLY.

Committee on forestry and Water supply will meet Thursday of each week at 7.30 o'clock P M

CECIL F. CLARK, Secretary.

### INDIAN AFFAIRS.

The committee on Indian affairs will meet until further notice at the State House, Room 14, on Tuesday of each week at 2 P. M.

D. H. LAMBERT, Secretary.

### INTERIOR WATERS.

The committee on interior waters will hold regular meetings in Room 3, State House, on Wednesdays at 3 P M.

FRED H. BARTLETT, Secretary.

### INLAND FISHERIES AND GAME.

The committee on inland fisheries and game will meet, until further notice, at their room, No 39, State House, on Wednesday of each week at 2 P M

HARRY M BIGELOW, Secretary.

### JUDICIARY.

Regular meetings Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons at 3 o'clock

J H. MONTGOMERY, Secretary

### LABOR.

The committee on labor will meet until further notice at their room 42, State House, on Tuesday of each week at 2 P M

C. W. MACY, Secretary.

### LEGAL AFFAIRS.

The committee on legal affairs will meet Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons at 2 o'clock at its room in the State House

Per order,
BENJ F HAMILTON, Chairman.
ELISHA W PIKE, Secretary

### MERCANTILE AFFAIRS AND INSURANCE.

The committee on mercantile affairs and insurance will hold regular meetings each week at the insurance commissioner's office at 4 o'clock P M Wednesdays

FREEMAN M GRANT, Secretary

### MILITARY AFFAIRS.

The Committee on Military Affairs will hold its regular meetings Tuesdays of each week at the Adjutant General's Office, State House, Augusta, at eleven o'clock A M.

FREEMAN M. GRANT, Secretary

### PENSIONS.

The committee on pensions will hold its regular meeting each Thursday at 3 30 P M on and after January 28th, in Room No 73 of the State House

A. H. MILLER, Secretary

### RAILROADS AND EXPRESSES.

Regular meetings every Wednesday, until further ordered, at 2.30 P M in the railroad commissioners' office, at the State House

C. EDWARD BARTLETT, Secretary

### SALARIES AND FEES.

The committee on salaries and fees will hold regular meetings in Room 3, State House, on Tuesdays at 4 P M.

D. M. LIBBY, Secretary

### SEA AND SHORE FISHERIES.

Meetings of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries will be held on Tuesday of each week at 2 o'clock P M in the office of the Commissioner of Agriculture

JOHN P. KELLEY, Sec.

### STATE PRISON.

The committee on State prison will meet in Room 3, Department of State, Wednesday at 2 o'clock P. M., each week.

Per order,
W. G FULLER,
Clerk to Committee.

### STATE LANDS AND STATE ROADS.

The committee of State lands and State roads will hold its regular meetings in the State land office each Tuesday at 2 P. M.

H. S. JORDAN, Secretary.

### TAXATION.

Regular meetings every Tuesday and Thursday at 2 o'clock P. M. in the State assessors' room.

EBEN P. TRUE, Secretary.

### TELEPHONES AND TELEGRAPHS.

The committee on telephones and telegraphs will hold regular meetings at the State pension office on Wednesday at 3.30 o'clock P. M.

EDGAR E. ROUNDS, Sec.

### TEMPERANCE.

Meetings of the committee on temperance will be held each Wednesday at 4 o'clock P M. in the Board of Health room.

EUGENE V. ALLEN, Secretary.

### TOWNS.

The committee on towns will meet at its room No 39, State House on Thursday of each week at 2.30 P M until further notice.

BOYDEN BEARCE, Secy.

### WAYS AND BRIDGES.

The committee on ways and bridges will meet until further notice at their room, No 3 State House, on Thursday of each week at 2 P M

A. O. ROBBINS, Secretary.

## COMMITTEE HEARINGS.

### JUDICIARY.

The committee on judiciary will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 17, 1909, at 2 P. M

73. On an Act to increase the number of justices of the supreme judicial court.

102. (Reassigned from Feb. 16). On a resolve in favor of a constitutional amendment conferring the right of suffrage on women.

114. On an Act to incorporate the Vinalhaven Water Company.

146. On an Act to provide for the restoration of the records of the Court of Probate in the County of Cumberland

THURSDAY, FEB. 18, 1909 at 2 P. M

129 On an Act to incorporate the Orrington Traction Company

144 On an Act relating to the acknowledgment of deeds

88. On an Act to repeal Chapter 92 of the Public Laws of 1905, entitled "An Act to provide for the better enforcement of the laws against the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors"

147. On an Act to incorporate the Bar Harbor Gas Company.

153. On an Act to enable the town of Winter Harbor to purchase the property and franchise of the Winter Harbor Gas and Light Company

146. On an Act to enlarge the powers of the Alfred Embroidery Co.

150. On an Act to extend the charter of the Ossipee Valley Power Co

163. On an Act to ratify and confirm the acts of the Wayne Library Association at its meetings of August 27, 1908, and at all subsequent meetings

106 (Reassigned from Feb 17). On an Act to provide for the restoration of the records of the court of probate in the county of Cumberland.

No. 164 On an Act to amend Section 28 of Chapter 81 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the admission of attorneys to the practice of law.

No. 166. On an Act to amend Section 37 of Chapter 81 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the removal of unworthy attorneys.

TUESDAY, FEB 23, at 2 P. M.

65 On a resolve from the last Legislature in favor of De Forrest Keyes

69 On a resolve from the last Legislature in favor of H L Kimball

129. On an Act to prevent the pollution of water supplies and their sources

177 On an Act to change the name of the Unitarian Society of Augusta, Maine.

80 (Reassigned from Feb 17). On an Act to create the office of medical examiner

108. (Reassigned from Feb 17) On an Act to amend Chapter 140 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the powers and duties of coroners, and to create in each county the office of medical examiner.

WEDNESDAY, FEB 24, at 2 P. M

121. On an Act to provide for the compensation of justices of the supreme judicial court or superior court, who shall retire after ten years' service at the age of seventy years

125. On an Act to provide for nomination of candidates of political parties by primary elections.

123. On an Act to require motor boats to be provided with mufflers in certain cases

157. On an Act to require life preservers on motor boats.

126. On an Act to amend and additional to Chapter 50 of the Private and Special Laws of 1855, relating to the Children's Home of Bangor

127. On an Act confirming the organization of the Bangor Y. M. C. A. and for other purposes.

133. On an Act to amend Chapter 115 of the Private and Special Laws of 1873, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Homes for Aged Women at Bangor."

122. On an Act to ratify the organization of the Virginia Spring Water Company, and authorize said company to issue bonds.

134. On an Act to amend the charter of the New England Retail Grocers' Publishing Company.

THURSDAY, FEB 25, at 2 P. M.

194. On an Act relative to the possession of lands taken under defective proceedings in eminent domain

188. On an Act to regulate office hours of registers of deeds in the several counties.

143. On an Act to amend Chapter 55 of the Revised Statutes, relating to telegraph, telephone, gas and electric light and power companies

137. On an Act to ratify, confirm and make valid the organization of the Mexico Water Company, and authorize it to issue bonds

131 On an Act in relation to the South Paris Village Corporation and to establish a municipal water system for said corporation.

136 On an Act to amend the charter of the Trustees of Hebron Academy.

THURSDAY, FEB. 25, at 2 P M.

173. On an Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 81 of the Revised Statutes, in relation to records of proceedings in court.

145. On an Act creating East Boothbay and vicinity, in the town of Boothbay, into a voting district

183 On an Act to authorize the town of Rumford to subscribe for capital stock for the purpose of procuring a town hall.

By order of the judiciary committee,
J. H. MONTGOMERY, Secretary

### LEGAL AFFAIRS.

The committee on Legal Affairs will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 17, at 2 P. M.

No. 78. An Act to extend the charter of the Stonington Electric Light and Power Company.

No. 79. An Act to regulate the digging up of the public streets, ways and highways in cities and towns

No 80 An Act to authorize Florence B. Alley and others to fence Alley cemetery in the town of Boothbay, and to erect monuments or markers at the graves therein

THURSDAY, FEB. 18, at 2 P M

No 82. An Act to amend Section 13 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the choice of road commissioners in towns.

No 83. An Act for the protection of life and property from steam boilers operated by incompetent persons

No 84 An Act amending and extending the provisions of Chapter 375, Private and Special Laws of 1905, entitled an Act to Authorize the town of Castine to construct for itself and for persons and corporations a system of water works in said town

WEDNESDAY, FEB 17, at 2 P. M.

No 100. An Act to extend the charter of the Van Buren Light and Power Company

No 101 An Act to incorporate the Livermore Falls Gas Company.

THURSDAY, FEB. 18, at 2 P. M.

No. 64. (Reassigned). Scale of logs.

No. 102. An Act to make valid the doings of certain municipal and administrative officers of the city of Eastport

TUESDAY, FEB. 23, at 2 P. M.

No 85a and 85b An Act to make valid certain acts and doings of town of Whitneyville.

No. 86. An Act to further amend Chapter 352 of the Laws of 1905 relating to Caribou municipal court.

No. 87 An Act to amend the law relating to political caucuses in the city of Bangor.

No 88 An Act to amend Chapter 42 of the Public Laws of 1907, entitled "An Act to prevent desertion and non-support of families."

No. 98. An Act to amend Section 23 of the Revised Statutes relating to poor debtors

No 99. An Act in relation to exceptions and appeal in criminal cases.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24, at 2 P. M.

No 89 An Act to abolish the office of auditor of State printing.

No 90. An Act to authorize the town of Thorndike to remove bodies from abandoned cemeteries

No. 91. An Act to create a State police force.

No 93 An Act to extend the charter of the Eastport Street Railway Co

No 56. (Reassigned). An Act relating to State detectives.

No. 107. An Act to incorporate the Bonney Woods Corporation.

No 108. An Act to extend the charter of the Wells Telephone Co.

No 109 An Act to extend the charter of the Wells Electric Light and Power Company.

THURSDAY, FEB 25, at 2 P. M.

No. 92. An Act to amend an Act relating to the police court of the city of Rockland.

No. 84. An Act to establish a municipal court at Millinocket.

No 95 An Act to authorize courts to suspend or continue for sentence on probation, and to provide for the appointment of probation officers.

No 96. An Act to amend Chapter 455 of the Private and Special Laws of 1897 and to permit Good Will Home Association to increase its capital.

No. 110. An Act additional to the Private and Special Laws of 1907, to authorize and empower the Kittery Water District to extend its business into the town of Eliot.

No 111. An Act to create a lien on shovel handle blocks.

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, at 2 P. M.

No 97. An Act authorizing municipal officers to lay out drains or sewers.

No. 103 An Act to abolish the bureau of industrial and labor statistics.

No. 104. An Act to permit certain plantations to assume the maintenance of their roads and bridges

No 105 An Act to make valid the doings of the town of Bristol in the county of Lincoln.

No. 106. An Act to make valid the doings of the town of Bristol in the county of Lincoln.

No. 112. Act to amend Ch. 42 of the Laws of 1907, relating to prevent desertion and non-support of families

No. 113 An Act to establish the Kingman municipal court.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, at 2 P. M.

No 114. An Act to provide for expenditure of money by county attorneys in the investigation of criminal offences

No 115 An Act to amend Chap. 93, Sec 46, of the Revised Statutes, relating to liens on logs and lumber.

No. 116 An Act to protect the State of Maine against paying judgments obtained against officers when the supreme court of Maine has declared that said officers in the exercise of their duties are trespassers and have been guilty of torts in the exercise of their duties

No. 117. An Act to provide for publicity respecting the membership of mercantile partnerships, and for identification of individual merchants in certain cases.

No 118. An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 63 Revised Statutes, 1903, conferring upon a married woman the right to enter into partnership relations with her husband.

No 119 An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, relating to fees of masters in chancery.

No 120 An Act relating to compensation of selectmen.

No. 121. An Act relating to the powers of the board of prison and jail inspectors

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 2 P M

No 122. An Act to establish uniform terms of installing telephones in railroad depots in Somerset county.

No 123 An Act relative to the licensing of plumbers and the supervision of the business of plumbing.

ELISHA W. PIKE, Sec

### INLAND FISHERIES AND GAME.

The committee on inland fisheries and game will give a public hearing in its room (office of fish and game commissioners) at the State House, in Augusta.

MONDAY, FEB 15, at 7.30 P M

No 50 On Bill, an Act to regulate fishing for black bass, white perch and smelts in the Belgrade chain of lakes, Kennebec County.

No. 52. On petition of H. A. Mansfield and others for regulations on fishing in Indian River stream, and tributaries, Washington County.

No. 54. On Bill, an Act to amend Ch. 176, P. & S L., 1907, relating to fishing in Bartlett's and Cook's brook, York county

No 55 On Bill, an Act to regulate fishing in Matlanawcook lake, Long, Crooked and Folsom ponds, in Penobscot county.

No 57. On petition of Geo. Flanders and others, asking that Mayfield and Kingsbury ponds be opened to ice fishing.

On petition of E. H Gross and others for regulations upon fishing in Stratton brook and tributaries.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 11, at 2 P. M.

No. 8. On petitions of H. R. Nutter, J. L. S. Hincks and 125 others, citizens of Penobscot county, asking for an appropriation for a fish batchery at Enfield, Penobscot county.

No. 10 Petition of Arthur Durgin and 21 others, citizens of Somerset county, praying that Dead Stream pond, Lower Cold Stream pond and Horseshoe pond, in the county of Somerset, be opened to ice fishing.

No 14. On an Act creating an open time on gray and black squirrels

No 21 On petition of W. C Taylor and others asking for a change in the ice fishing law on Androscoggin lake

No. 24. On petition of F G. Cram and others, residents of Stacyville, asking for regulations on fishing in Big Spring brook, Little Spring brook and Messer pond, in the county of Penobscot

No 29. Petition of W. E Sargent and others of Hebron and vicinity asking for regulations upon fishing in the tributaries to Marshall pond, Oxford county

No. 35. Petition of H. M. Stone and others, residents of Otisfield and vicinity, asking that Moose and Saturday ponds be closed to ice fishing for five years

No. 42. Petition of C. M. Conant and others, citizens of Waldo county, asking for regulations upon fishing in Marsh stream and tributaries, Waldo county.

No 44. Bill, an Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 161, P and L S., 1907, relating to fishing in the tributaries to China lake, Kennebec county.

No 46 Resolve in favor of a screen at the outlet of Taylor lake, Androscoggin county.

No 47. Petition of Geo. U Dyer and 23 others, citizens of Franklin and vicinity, praying for a law to regulate ice fishing in Donnell pond, Hancock county

No 53 On petitions of W H Farnham and others asking for repeal of law permitting the snaring of rabbits in Hancock county, with accompanying bill.

MONDAY, FEB 22, at 7 30 P. M.

No 60 On petition of C. C. McLaughlin and others of Harmony asking that Brown brook and Perry pond, and tributaries, be closed to all fishing for five years.

No 61 On petition of E H Lane and others of Upton, asking for regulations upon fishing in Molridgewock pond and stream, Oxford county.

No 65. On petition of E. H. Lane and others asking for regulations upon fishing in C pond, Dead Cambridge river and tributaries, Oxford county.

No 67. On resolve for the purchase of certain photographic views.

No 68 On petition of W. H Hart and others asking for change in law on fishing in Megalloway river and tributaries.

WEDNESDAY, FEB 24, at 2 o'clock.

No 9 On petitions of L E Bowley and 25 others asking for change in law on fishing in South Bog, so-called, Rangeley lake, and in Rangeley stream.

No 13. On an Act to provide a bounty on bears in Washington county.

No 16 On petition of A S Moulton and 18 others for a law to prohibit winter fishing in Long Mousam pond, in Shapleigh and Acton

No 17. On petition of Hon. Wm. P. Frye and 55 others asking for a change in the law on fishing in Kennebago stream.

No. 22. Petition of E M Grant and others asking for a change in the law on fishing at the mouth of the river at Upper Dam, so-called, Oxford county.

No 31 Petition of Geo. Cole and 50 others, citizens of Greenwood and vicinity, praying for a law regulating fishing in Overset pond, Oxford county.

No. 28 Bill, an Act to regulate fishing in Jordan's river, so called, outlet to Panther pond, Cumberland county

No 41. Petition of B. G. Adams and others, citizens of Hancock and Penobscot counties, asking for a law to regulate fishing in the tributaries of Phillips lake, Hancock county

No. 58. On an Act regulating open season on deer on Swan's island, with petitions for same.

No 69 On Bill, an Act to provide for a bounty on wildcats in the towns of Cutler, Lubec and Trescott, Washington county

No 90 On an Act to regulate fishing in Thompson Hill brook and tributaries, in the town of Mexico.

MONDAY, MARCH 1, at 7 30 P. M.

No 77. On an Act to amend Sec. 11 of Ch 32, R. S, to permit the taking of beaver in certain townships in Franklin and Somerset counties, with petitions for same

No 74. On resolve in favor of Oquossoc fish hatchery, at Rangeley lake.

No. 75. On an Act creating a close time on otter in Waldo county, and regulating open season on white perch in Unity pond, in said county.

No 76 On resolve in favor of screening Biscay pond, Lincoln county.

No. 69. On an Act to regulate fishing in Alder stream, Piscataquis county, with petition for same.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, at 2 P. M.

No 25 Petition of E P. Cole and 27 others, citizens of Brooklin and vicinity, asking for a law regulating the hunting of sea fowl in the waters of Bluehill bay and Eggmoggin Reach.

No 26 Petition of C. L Parker and others of Brooklin and vicinity, asking for a law to prevent the hunting of deer with horns or bells or otherwise

No. 37. Bill, an Act to regulate the taking of fish from Lower Kezar pond, in Fryeburg, Oxford county, with petitions for same.

No. 49 Bill, an Act to regulate the length of trout that may be taken in lakes and ponds at nine inches.

No. 63. On resolve for the purpose of screening Wilson pond, Piscataquis county, with petition for same.

No 73. On petition of J. R Pollard and others of Winslow and vicinity, asking that the limit on white perch which may be taken by one person in one day be fixed at 20 fish instead of 25 pounds as now provided by law.

No 72. On petition of Geo. Gallison and others asking for regulations on fishing in a portion of Sebasticook river, Kennebec county.

No 70. On petition of J. R. Pollard and others of Winslow and vicinity, asking that Pattee's pond, Winslow, be closed to ice fishing.

No. 71 On petition of C W. Jones of China and vicinity asking that the length of trout which may be legally caught be changed from five inches to six inches.

Nos. 63-4. On Acts relating to disposal of money received from non-resident hunters' licenses, and relating to fines for infraction of fish and game laws.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, at 2 P. M

No. 78. On Bill, an Act to provide for ice fishing in Spectacle, the Stanleys, Trafton and Jay Bird ponds, Oxford County.

No 12 On petition of C. L. Whitney and others, praying that not more than 10 fish shall be caught in one day by one person in Pleasant pond, Somerset county.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10.

No. 79. On Bill, an Act to provide for a close time on deer on Cross and Scotch islands, Washington county.

No 81. Petition of W. W. Edwards and 223 others of Waterville and vicinity to open the lakes and ponds of Kennebec county to ice fishing one day in each week.

WEDNESDAY, FEB 17, at 2 P. M.

No 87 On an Act to provide for ice fishing in South Branch, Carpenter, Littlefield and Fowler ponds, Piscataquis county, and to close Davis pond, Penobscot county, to all fishing, with petition for same

MONDAY, FEB 22, at 7 30 P. M

No. 82. On an Act to regulate fishing in "L" pond, so-called, in Sanford.

By order of the committee,
HARRY M BIGELOW, Secretary.

### APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

The committee on appropriations and financial affairs will give public hearings in the Senate chamber, State House, Augusta, as follows:

WEDNESDAY, FEB 17, at 2 P. M.

No 28. (Reassigned from Feb. 2). Resolve in favor of the Waldo County General hospital.

No 81 Resolve in favor of the Old Town hospital.

No 81. Resolve in favor of the board of commissioners of pharmacy

EDWARD W HYDE, Secretary.

### TAXATION.

The committee on taxation will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta

TUESDAY, FEB 16, at 2 P. M.

No 73. On an Act relating to inheritance, transfer, succession or legacy tax.

THURSDAY, FEB 18, at 2 P M

No. 75 On an Act to establish a State highway fund and to provide for distributing of same

No 78. On an Act relating to the common school fund and the means of providing for and distributing the same

No 79. On an Act to establish a uniform poll tax.

No 80 On an Act to amend Chapter 10 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the sale of land for non-payment of taxes.

No. 62 (Reassigned from Feb 2). On an Act for the taxation of legacies and successions.

No 81. On an Act for the more equitable assessment of taxes on real and personal property.

No. 60 (Reassigned from Feb 9). On an Act to amend Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes relating to the board of State assessors, and which includes an apportionment of the State tax on land values exclusively

No 83 On an order instructing the committee on taxation to inquire into the constitutionality and expediency of enacting a law providing for a tax upon lands in unincorporated places, to be applied for the preservation and protection of forests in such unincorporated places and to report by bill or otherwise.

TUESDAY, FEB. 23, at 2 P. M.

No 82 On an Act to exempt persons over ninety years of age from the payment of poll taxes.

No 84. On an order directing the committee on taxation to inquire into the expediency of changes in the methods and rates of taxation of telephones, telegraph, palace car and express companies, and report to this Legislature by bills or otherwise

No 85 On an Act relating to the taxation of steam railroads

By order of the committee,
EBEN P. TRUE, Secretary.

### EDUCATION.

The committee on education will give hearings as follows:

MONDAY, FEB. 15, at 7 P. M., Room No 44

No 7e. An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to public schools in regard to length of school year.

No 7f An Act to amend Section 115 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to public schools.

No 7g An Act to amend Section 63 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to public schools

No 7h. An Act to amend Section 112 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to Normal Schools and training schools.

No 14 An Act, relating to payment of tuition, requiring towns to pay tuition of only students who are in good standing at High schools

No 15 An Act to incorporate the Millbridge Academy.

No 20 An Act to amend Section 13 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to public schools requiring towns to raise 80 cents on each inhabitant for school money

No. 21 An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 171 of the Public Laws, relating to the State superintendent empowering the State superintendent to employ a clerk who may serve as his deputy

No 22 An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes, relating to public schools, compelling towns to raise money for support of schools, on the penalty of loss of State school money.

No 23 An Act to amend Section 65 of Chapter 15, relating to Free High schools, allowing an appeal to the Governor and Council from the decision of the certification of schools by superintendents

THURSDAY, FEB. 18, 2 P. M., Hall of Representatives.

No. 9 An Act for the improvement of Free High schools in regard to standing

No 10 Resolve in favor of Lee Normal Academy.

No. 17. Resolve in favor of the president and trustees of Bates College

No. 18 Resolve in favor of the University of Maine.

No 24. Resolve in favor of the East Maine Conference Seminary.

OTIS S TRAFTON, Secretary.
JAMES G. SCALES, Clerk.

### SEA AND SHORE FISHERIES.

The committee on sea and shore fisheries will give a public hearing in the office of the commissioner of agriculture at the State House in Augusta.

TUESDAY, FEB. 23, at 2 P M

No 8. On an Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to sea and shore fisheries.

No. 9 On an Act to further amend Chapter 120 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the office of commissioner of sea and shore fisheries.

No 10. On an Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903 as amended by Chapter 49 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to sea and shore fisheries.

No 11 On an Act to amend Section 51 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to sea and shore fisheries.

No. 12. On an Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to sea and shore fisheries.

No. 13 On an Act to amend Chapter 77 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to sea and shore fisheries.

No. 14 On an Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to sea and shore fisheries.

No. 15. On an Act for the better protection of lobsters

No 16 On an Act to prevent the extermination of clams on the flats of Pole Island, in the town of Harpswell, county of Cumberland and State of Maine

No 17. On a petition of J. P. Carter and 34 others for an Act to prohibit drag seining in the waters of Benjamin's river in the town of Sedgwick, Hancock county

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, at 2 P M

No. 24. On the petitions of H. E. Webster and 246 others praying for the prohibition of the use of drag nets or seines in the catching of smelts in Damariscotta river and its tributaries.

No. 22 On an Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 61 of the Special Laws of 1907, relating to the lobster industry within two miles of the shore of Monhegan Island.

No. 23 On an Act to regulate the herring fisheries in the town of Roque Bluffs

No. 24. On an Act to prohibit the taking of scallops in West Penobscot bay from April 1st to October 1st of each year.

No 25. On an Act to amend Section 38 of Chapter 4 of the Revised Statutes as amended by the Public Laws of 1905, Chapter 143, relatives to the use of seines, weirs and nets.

No. 26 On an Act to prohibit the swelling of scallops by artificial means

No 27 On an Act establishing a close time on lobsters in the waters of Machias bay and adjacent waters

No 28 On an Act to prohibit seining smelts in certain parts of Casco bay.

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, at 2 P M

No 29. On the petition of H B Sprague and others for a law regulating the taking of scallops from the waters of Pennamaquam and Cobscook bays, particularly within the limits of the town of Pembroke.

No 30 On an Act to prohibit seining smelts in Harraseeket river in the town of Freeport.

No 31. On the petition of Cecil Stewart and others for an amendment to Section 1 of Chapter 357 of the Special Laws of 1907, relating to close time on lobsters

J. P. KELLEY, Secretary.

### STATE LANDS AND STATE ROADS.

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H. S. JORDAN, Secretary.

### RAILROADS AND EXPRESSES.

The committee on railroads and expresses will give a public hearing in its room, number 140, at the State House in Augusta.

WEDNESDAY, FEB 17, at 2 30 P M

No 64 An Act to enlarge the powers and duties of the railroad commissioners, and to regulate the fares and tolls of common carriers

No 69 An Act to encourage manufacturing industries and to regulate the charges for sidetrack facilities on railroads within the State

No 70 An Act relating to air-brakes on street railway cars

No 71. An Act relating to the change of names of railroads or other corporations

No 72. An Act additional of Ch 52 of the Revised Statutes of Maine in reference to common carriers

No 73 An Act to amend Ch. 510, Private and Special Laws of 1871, being an Act to incorporate the Lincolnville Railroad Company

No. 74 An Act to incorporate the Washington County Central Railroad Company.

No 75 An Act to amend Section 19 of Ch 51 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the increase of capital stock of a railroad company

### SALARIES AND FEES.

The committee on salaries and fees will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta,

TUESDAY, FEB 23, at 1.30 P M

No. 8. On an Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 174 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the compensation of sheriffs (providing that such compensation shall include services as turnkey).

No 10. On an Act to increase the salary of the warden of the Maine State prison (from $1800 to $3000).

No 11. On an Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes relating to the salaries of public officers (allowing the adjutant general $2,000 instead of $1500 for clerk hire)

No 12. On an Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 174 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the compensation of sheriffs (providing that no county commissioner shall be interested in the purchase of supplies or any contract therefor made by the board, and such contracts shall be void).

No. 13 On an Act relating to the compensation of registers of probate (increasing allowance of Penobscot register for clerk hire from $900 to $1200).

No 14 On an Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 211 of the Private and Special Laws of 1895, relating to Bangor municipal court (increasing salary of clerk from $1450 to $2000, and allowing $550 for clerk hire).

No. 15. On an Act regulating the compensation of the register of deeds (increasing allowance of register for Penobscot county for clerk hire from $1000 to $1600, or so much thereof as may be actually necessary).

No. 16. On an Act to establish the salary of the register of probate for Aroostook county (increasing it from $800 to $1200)

No. 17. On an Act fixing the salary of the judge of probate of Aroostook county (increasing same from $1000 to $1200)

No 23 On an Act in relation to the compensation of the county commissioners for Somerset county (increasing their salary from $550 to $1000)

TUESDAY, FEB 23, at 1 30 P M

No 7. (Reassignment) On an Act to amend Chapter 117 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to compensation of county commissioners, and pertaining to the salary of the county commissioners for the county of Oxford (fixing same at $500 per year and actual expenses)

No 26 On an Act to amend Chapter 174 of the Public Laws of 1905, relating to the compensation of sheriffs (reducing the salary of sheriff of Aroostook county from $2500 to $2000)

No 27 On an Act to amend Section 29 of Chapter 446 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, entitled "An Act to establish the Milo municipal court" (fixing the salary of judge at $600 instead of fees).

No 28 On an Act for the relief of the register of deeds of Hancock county (allowing for clerk hire not to exceed $300)

No 29 On an Act to amend Paragraph 21 of Chapter 116, Public Laws of 1903, relating to inspector of factories, workshops, mines and quarries (increasing salary from $1000 to $1500)

No 30 On an Act relating to clerk hire for the register of deeds for Kennebec county (increasing allowance from $1000 to $1200)

TUESDAY, MARCH 2

No 31. On an Act to amend Chapter 153 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to transportation of public officials (extending provisions forbidding State officials to accept passes and railroads to issue them, to federal and county officials).

D M. LIBBY, Secretary.

### TEMPERANCE.

The committee on temperance will give a public hearing in the Representatives' hall on

FRIDAY, FEB. 19, at 3 P. M.

On a resolve for an amendment to the Constitution by abrogating and annulling Amendment Five, adopted on the 8th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and eighty-four, relative to the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors

(Reappointed from Feb. 11) On the so-called "Hastings Amendment," which is an act in amendment of Section 1, Chapter 136, relating to sentence in criminal cases

EUGENE V. ALLEN, Secretary.
M S. HILL, Clerk.

### CLAIMS.

The committee on claims will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta.

THURSDAY, FEB 18, at 2 P M

No. 16. Resolve in favor of town of Tremont to amount of $115 44.

No. 17. Resolve in favor of A. J Cameron to amount of $1,229 33

No 18. Resolve in favor of Eugene A. Holmes to amount of $96 27

No. 19 Resolve in favor of town of Fort Kent to amount of $152 13

No 20. Resolve in favor of State Board of Veterinary Examiners to the amount of $176 58.

No. 21. Petition in favor Milton Spinney to the amount of $600.00.

No. 27 Resolve in favor of Alexis O. Robins to amount of $319 00

No 28 Resolve in favor of A. J. McKenney to amount of $50 00.

No 29. Resolve in favor Parker Pinco to amount of $100 00

THURSDAY, FEB. 25, at 2 P M

No. 22. Resolve in favor of Chas. A. Flint to the amount of $500 00

No. 23. Resolve in favor of the town of Frenchville to the amount of $141 75.

No 24 Resolve in favor of Stacyville Plantation, Penobscot county, to the amount of $160 17

No. 25 Resolve in favor of the town of Rumford to the amount of $642.67.

No. 26. Resolve in favor of the town of Caribou to the amount of $63.00

No 30. Resolve in favor of Adelbert F Williams to the amount of $125 00

No 31 Resolve in favor of Fred Brown of Augusta.

No 7 Resolve in favor of the town of S[illegible] to the amount of $16 66

No 2 Resolve in favor of the Northern [illegible] Company to the amount of $[illegible]

No 21 Resolve in favor of the town of South Berwick to the amount of $52 69

CHAS O. BEALS, Sec.

### INTERIOR WATERS.

The committee on interior waters will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta,

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 17, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M.

No 3. On an Act to incorporate the Penobscot River Power Company

No 11. On an Act to incorporate the Androscoggin Reservoir Company and to authorize it to construct, acquire and maintain a reservoir or storage basin on the Magalloway river at or near the head of Aziscohos Falls in Lincoln plantation in the county of Oxford, for the purpose of maintaining a more constant flow of water in the Magalloway and Androscoggin rivers for use for power and manufacturing purposes.

No. 12. On an Act to authorize the Kellogg Lumber Company to erect and maintain piers and booms at the mouth of Moose river and in Long pond

No 13 An Act to incorporate the Sandy Stream Dam and Improvement Company.

No 15 On resolve in favor of buoys in Richardson lake (appropriating $250)

FRED H. BARTLETT, Secretary.

### WAYS AND BRIDGES.

The committee on ways and bridges will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta,

THURSDAY, FEB 11, 1909, at 2 P. M.

No 40 On a resolve in favor of aid in the repairing highway in the town of Greenbush

No 63 On a resolve in favor of the town of Millinocket for road from Millinocket to Millinocket Lake

By order of the committee,

THURSDAY, FEB 18th, 2 P M.

On a Resolve in favor of the town of Solon, and Embden in Somerset County.

On a Resolve and Petition in favor of bridge across Piscataquis River in the town of Milo

On a resolve in favor of the city of Gardiner and town of Randolph.

On a Resolve in favor of aiding the building of a bridge between Sullivan and Franklin

Pihon's Ferry Bridge.

No 20 On a resolve in favor of road from Brownville to Katahdin Iron Works

No 87 On the report of the commissioner of highways in accordance with Chapter 63 of the Resolve of 1907.

No 39 Petition of citizens of Cutler for appropriation for repairs of roads and bridges in that town

No 24 Resolve in favor of the inhabitants of Whitneyville

No 70. Resolve in favor of the town of Trescott.

No 60 Resolve in aid of bridge across the Aroostook river in the town of Masardis, in Aroostook.

No 67 Resolve in favor of a highway bridge over the St. John river between Van Buren and St Leonards, N B

No 62 Resolve in favor of town of Frankfort in Waldo county

No 40 Resolve in aid of the town of Rome in maintaining its roads and bridges

No 23 Resolve in favor of town of Island Falls, Aroostook county, for aid in building bridge across the West Branch of Mattawamkeag river.

No 31 Petition of C. O Purington and 29 others for the enactment of a law providing State aid for the maintenance of common highways.

THURSDAY, FEB 25, at 2 P M

No 68. An Act authorizing a change of grade in Pitts street bridge in the city of Portland

No 4 (Reassigned from Feb 18) An Act to restore Portland bridge

A. O. ROBBINS, Secy.

### MERCANTILE AFFAIRS AND INSURANCE.

The committee on mercantile affairs and insurance will give a public hearing in the insurance commissioner's office at the State House, Augusta,

WEDNESDAY, FEB 17, at 4 P. M.

No 4 An Act to incorporate the Sagamore Insurance Company

No 5 An Act in regard to the lien of mortgages upon policies of fire insurance

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24, 1909, at 3 30 P M.

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FREEMAN M. GRANT, Secretary.

### PENSIONS.

The committee on pensions will give a public hearing in its room, No. 73, at the State House in Augusta, as follows

THURSDAY, FEB 18, at 4 P M

No 11 Resolve in favor of the Central Maine Fair Association

No 12 An Act to provide for uniform grading, packing and branding apples

No 13. An Act in addition to Chapter 19 of the Revised Statutes relating to contagious diseases among cattle.

### COUNTIES.

The committee on counties will give a public hearing in Room No 3 at the State House in Augusta.

THURSDAY, FEB 18, at 2 P M

On an Act to set off the town of Stonington and the Isle Au Haut from the county of Hancock and annex the same to the county of Knox

LUCOND A. HILL, Secretary.

### MILITARY AFFAIRS.

The committee on military affairs will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta,

TUESDAY, FEB 23, at 11 A. M

9 An Act to consolidate and revise the military laws of the State of Maine

FREEMAN N GRANT, Secretary.

### BANKS AND BANKING.

The committee on banks and banking will hold a public hearing in the office of the bank examiner at the State House, Augusta,

WEDNESDAY, FEB 17, at 2 P. M

No. 7 On an Act to extend the charter of the Gardiner Trust Company.

No. 8. On an Act to extend the charter of the Bethel Trust Company

No 9 On an Act to extend the charter of the Phillips Trust Company

No 10 On an Act to extend the charter of the Investment Trust Company

No 11 On an Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes, relating to powers of savings banks

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24, at 2 P M

No 12 On an Act to regulate the rate of dividends and interest on savings deposits in savings banks, trust companies and national banks

H E. COOLIDGE, Secretary.

### LABOR.

WEDNESDAY, FEB 17, 1909, at 4 P M

No 4 (Reassigned from Feb 3, 1909) On an Act to amend Section 48 of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the hours of labor of women and children.

No 10 On an Act to amend Section 48 of Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the hours of labor by striking out "60," in the eighth line of said Section and inserting "58."

No 33 On an Act to amend Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, and Chapter 48 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the employment of minors in manufacturing or mechanical establishments in this State

### MAINE STATE PRISON.

The committee on State prison will give a public hearing at the State House in the room of the secretary of State,

WEDNESDAY, FEB 24.

No. 1. Resolved that the sum of $15,000 be appropriated for the purpose of erecting a fire proof building at the Maine State prison for harness shop and carriage repository

No 2. Resolved that the sum of $5000 be appropriated for current and contingent expense of the State prison

No. 3. Resolved that the annual appropriation be increased from $12,050 to $14,000.

An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes which provides for the sum of $300 for teacher at the prison and $250 for chaplain, be stricken out and instead thereof the sum of $600 be appropriated for salary of chaplain and teacher

WEDNESDAY, Feb 24, at 2 P M

No 1. An Act to provide for retiring and pensioning prison officers.

No. 2. Resolve appropriating fifteen thousand dollars for fire-proof building at State prison

No 3 An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to salary of chaplain and teacher at the State prison

No 4 Resolve asking for an increase of the annual appropriation for the Maine State prison.

W G. FULLER, Clerk.

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H. S JORDAN, Secretary.

### AGRICULTURE.

The Committee on Agriculture will give a public hearing

THURSDAY, FEB 18, at 4 o'clock P. M

No 11. Resolve in favor of the Central Maine Fair Association

No 12 An act to provide for uniform grading, packing and branding apples

No 13 An act in addition to Chapter 19 of the Revised Statutes relating to contagious diseases among cattle

11 Resolve in favor of the State Pomological Society

THURSDAY, FEB 25

15 An Act to amend Section 14 of Chapter 69 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 45 of the Public Laws of 1907, and Section 16 of said chapter, relating to agricultural societies.

16 An Act to amend Section 1 and Section 3 of Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the commissioner of agriculture

17 An Act to establish public abattoirs in cities in the State

18 An Act to amend Sections 2, 4 and 7 of Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes in relation to holding farmers' institutes

W S BUMPS, Secretary.

### MANUFACTURES.

The committee on manufactures will give a public hearing at the State House, Augusta,

WEDNESDAY FEB 17, at 2 P M

On order regarding use of benzoate of soda and other preservatives in food products

C. EDWARD BARTLETT, Secretary.

### TOWNS.

The committee on towns will give hearings as follows

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, at 1 30 P M

No. 32. An Act to set off from the town of Cushing, in Knox county, Fred Thornton with his poll and estate, and annex him with his poll and estate to the town of Thomaston in said Knox county.

## KENNEBEC.

### SIDNEY.

NORTH—Macey Reynolds and Annie Ethel Johnson were united in marriage Sunday, Feb 7, at the residence of H L. Johnson, Dr. Johnson, justice of peace, performing the ceremony

S A. Clark and J. H Field each shipped a carload of potatoes Thursday and Friday.

Miss Jennie Lyon visited Monday and Tuesday at Minnie Moore's.

Albert Reynolds has returned home after passing a few weeks with his brother, George Reynolds of Waterville

The friends of Mrs. B F. Hussey are pleased to hear that she is improving.

E H. Bragg recently visited his sister, Mrs Arthur Weston of Keene, N H

WEST—J H Swift attended Pomona at Belgrade Wednesday

H H Adams of Belgrade was in this section Thursday

Olive Smith, the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Eugene Smith, visited her little friend, Mildred Ellis, Wednesday

Henry Trask of Revere, Mass., is in town visiting his daughter, Mrs. Edd Swift.

The friends of Mrs. Edwin Trask will be pleased to learn that she is comfortable; also Walter Nowell.

It will be pleasing to the many friends of Mrs. Josie Blaisdell to know she has so far recovered as to leave the City hospital Mrs. Blaisdell is at the home of her uncle, Rev. Asa Blaisdell, East side

### READFIELD.

Gertrude, Guy and John Stevens were entertained Thursday evening by Mr and Mrs. J. T Clough of Mountain View Farm, where games were played and refreshments served They report a pleasant evening

Mrs. Carolina Hawes and son Lourence are away on a short vacation Lorin Stevens is doing the chores during their absence

The Mt Vernon Whist Club met with Mrs Addie Jacobs

Mrs. C M. Heath is on the sick list. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery

Mrs Nancy H Atkinson was a recent visitor at the Hoyt's Hill school. She took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Clough

## SAGADAHOC.

### BOWDOIN.

Jonathan Craven has sold his farm, formerly known as the Oakman Abel farm, to Andred Byrnes He also sold his stock and farming tools. Mr Craven expects to go to Lawrence, Mass, where he will make his home.

Mr and Mrs. Albert Curtis and Mr. and Mrs Clarence Smith attended the Old Folks dance at Lisbon Falls Thursday evening.

Hosea Bickford of Lisbon Falls was in town Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs A F. Webster gave their friends a reception at Grange hall Thursday evening, Feb 11.

A Box Supper will be given at Grange hall Saturday evening, Feb 13

Mr Bickford of Brunswick was in this section of the town Wednesday with fish.

Johnnie Prout will give a birthday party Saturday evening, Feb 13.

Decrease in the area devoted in India to cotton culture is shown by the fact that there are 17,333,000 acres under cotton, as compared with 17,-710,000 a year ago and 19,733,000 the year before that

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## MARKET REPORTS.

### New York Cotton Market.

New York, Feb 12.

Galveston quiet, 9½; Charleston quiet, 9 5-16; Memphis quiet, 9¾; New Orleans quiet, 9¾; Savannah quiet, 9 5-16.

Net receipts for seven days 197,711

Exports to Great Britain 76,164; to France 9484, to the continent 92,291; to Japan 1,74, to Mexico 200.

Stock 893,904.

### Boston Produce Market.

Boston, Feb 12.

APPLES—Steady, Baldwins 5@6
BUTTER—Steady, northern 30@32, western 30@31.
CHEESE—Steady; New York 15
CORN—Steady, No 3 yellow 73.
EGGS—Steady, choice 35@36, western 31@35
FLOUR—Steady, spring patents 590@615
FRESH BEEF—Steady, whole cattle 9.
HAY—Unchanged, No. 1 18.
LAMBS—Unchanged, 11@13
LARD—Unchanged, pure 11½
MILL FEED—Unchanged
BRAN—[illegible]
MIXED FEED—28@29
OATS—Unchanged, No 2 clipped white 6[illegible]
PORK—Firmer, medium backs 20 50@21 25
POTATOES—Firm, white 160@170.
SUGAR—Granulated 485.
VEALS—Firm, 11@13.

### Portland Market.

Portland, Me Feb 12, 1909

FLOUR—Michigan and St Louis, straights, $5 50@5 75, winter wheat patents, $5 75@6 00, spring wheat, baker, $4 85@5 10, spring wheat patents, $6 35@6 60

GRAIN—Corn, car lots No 2 yellow, 73c, No 3 yellow 72½c, bags 75c, meal bags, [illegible], oats, car lots, 56@59c, bags, 62@64c; Minn. bran car lots, $27 00 Minn. sacked, bag lots $28 00, brown middlings, car lots, [illegible] bag lots, $29 00

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy, per lb, 31c, tub creamery, 30c, renovated, 26c.

EGGS—Eastern, fresh, 32c fresh Eastern, 30c.

CHEESE—N Y, and factory, 15@16c.; sage 16@17c.

APPLES—$3 50@5 00.

ORANGES—Florida, $2 40@2 65, California, $2 75@3 00.

LEMONS—Messina, box, $3 25@4 25; California $3 60@4 00.

PRODUCE—Beans, California pea, $2 75@2 80 yellow eyes, $3.40@3.60; red kidneys, $2 65@2 70

POULTRY—Chickens, 14@17c; turkeys, 21@24c. fowl, 16@17c

PORK—Heavy, backs, $22 00@22 25 medium, $20 50@20.75

BEEF—Sides, 5½@10c.; plate, bbl, $13 00; extra $15 00.

LARD—Pure tcs., half bbls, 10¾@11c; cases, 11½@11¾c.; compounds, tcs., half bbls, 8¼@8¾c

SUGAR—Ex. quality, large bbls, $4.94; sacks, 100 lbs., bulk, $4 94.

## LEGISLATIVE EXERCISES.

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bers by the orchestra were the overture "America," which was played with great spirit, and the "Grand American Fantasia," by Bendix, with which the program closed.

Senator Henry H. Hastings of Oxford called the meeting to order shortly before 8 o'clock and without making any extended speech introduced as the presiding officer Hon. George G. Weeks, Speaker of the House of Representatives. Speaker Weeks after paying an eloquent tribute to the memory of Lincoln, said that it was eminently befitting that this celebration should be held in the Capital city, for the walls of yonder Capitol held the shattered flags carried by those brave men who fought for their country at the call of Abraham Lincoln. Prayer was offered by Rev. Leroy Wilson Coons, pastor of the Winthrop Street Universalist church, after which Speaker Weeks introduced as the first speaker of the evening Prof. Wilmot Brookings Mitchell of Bowdoin College.

### Address of Prof. Mitchell.

The address of Prof. Wilmot B. Mitchell of Bowdoin College was an able and scholarly effort. After reviewing briefly the times in which Lincoln was born a century ago, the conditions surrounding his birth, his ancestry, his boyhood, his early career, his preparation for his life work, his intense hatred for the institution of slavery, he closed with a tribute to Lincoln as a master of men, saying, in part:

Mr. Lincoln also had an instinct for leadership He was by nature a master of men. I do not mean that he was a man of blood and iron who by sheer strength beat down all opposition to his desires and purposes, and with an iron hand compelled others to obey him To such a man he was at the very antipodes He ruled by subtler means. He won the hearts of men by those forces which we include under the vague phrase of personal magnetism. He had the art of winning with his humor, and he went straight to his mark which was the human heart. "Even those who obeyed him could not always tell why they did so Men would go to him as enraged enemies and come away loyal friends. Sometimes his humor or tact robbed them of suspicion, but often it was the clearness of his reasoning and his speech, his absolute simplicity and frankness and sincerity that aroused their enthusiasm and won their affections.

When he went to Washington as President how he amazed the politicians! At first his directness and patience, his candor in acknowledging deficiencies, his willingness to learn, his rough humor and unconventionality, were so misunderstood that even some of his cabinet mistook them for clownishness or vacillation or stupidity But it did not take some of them long to learn who was to be master They found before many weeks that they were dealing with a shrewd and honest intellect, a firm will and a large heart. Perhaps nowhere were these powers more clearly shown than in the handling of his mistrustful and factious cabinet made up of old-time Democrats and old-time Whigs and new-time Republicans, the strongest, most influential men that he could master, his "happy family," as he used to call them.

It was with sagacity, humor, patience, firmness and sincerity that Lincoln mastered great men. Not less was his instinct for leadership seen in his dealings with common folks. He has been called the Great Commoner. To him it was a title of nobility, for he loved the plain people. No man knew them better than he; he was born among them and bred among them. Indeed was over all of them, a common man—with genius He had eaten their food, sat by their firesides, rocked their cradles, argued in their grocery stores, watched by their sick and buried their dead, he knew their ways of living, their methods of reasoning, their rough strength, their common sense, their pleasures and wishes and sorrows. And withal he believed in them and they in him. To them President Lincoln was ever a friend at court

To the common soldier he was always Father Lincoln; to the common citizen Honest Abe Lincoln. To him they were not subjects but friends They were a jury of peers before whom he argued his case They might sometimes be moved by passion and misled by error, but their hearts were right. You could fool some of them all the time, and all of them some of the time, but you couldn't fool all of them all the time."

Some of you, very likely all of you soldiers, shook hands with him, and you had a chance to look into that wonderful face. I envy you that experience. For I tell you if I could look into the living face and feel the power of personality of but one great maker of American history, I should choose not Hamilton or Jefferson or Washington I should choose Abraham Lincoln

His, I know, was not a face or figure that was always handsome or marshal as that of Jefferson or Webster or Washington He was, indeed, often rated as ungainly or slouchy; his clothes were generally ill-fitting. As he wore his little gray shawl and stove pipe hat around Washington we probably could not have called him beautiful

But it is the testimony of many that at times his homely face became suddenly handsome. Sometimes those who were nearest to him say when he was especially aroused as when he was making his great speeches, his voice would grow mellow, his form would become erect and full of action and his face suffused with light because he was fired by a sublime purpose

"Oh, how they have lied about that man," said one mother, who came from his office, after she had been pleading, and pleading successfully, for the life of her son "Why, they said he was homely He is the handsomest man in all the world"

After the overture by the orchestra came the address by President Deasy

### Address of President Deasy.

Hon Luere B Deasy, President of the Senate, in his address emphasized the simplicity and the self-reliance of Lincoln He said in part

The year 1809 produced more than its share of genius. In that year was born Charles Darwin, the interpreter of life's riddles; Mendelssohn, who

> "Untwisted the chains that tie
> The hidden soul of harmony;"

Alfred Tennyson and Edgar Allen Poe, who struck from the harp of our language clearer, sweeter notes than had been heard before But of the children of that memorable year, the one who was destined to attain the highest place measured by service to the world or measured by the love and gratitude of mankind, was born in a little cabin in Kentucky a hundred years ago today. Abraham Lincoln was very fortunate in the circumstances of his birth and early training, for he did not have to endure the blight of luxury and indulgence. A child may be rocked in a silver cradle, may be sent to school and university without having to consider ways or means, and may achieve success, may attain eminence But the chances are against him. He is heavily handicapped. For he is deprived of the opportunity of taking that course without which all other courses afforded by schools and colleges are useless, a course in self-reliance. If there are any boys or girls here who are compelled to earn for themselves the means of taking their school and college courses, if there are parents here whose circumstances are such that their children must wholly or in part educate themselves, let me say to them, do not repine but thank your lucky stars that it is so, for out of the qualities that such a training develops, strong men and women are made It is such training that in the past has produced, and in the future will produce, our Franklins, our Jacksons and our Lincolns

Abraham Lincoln's life, his thoughts, his words, were simple. Some of his addresses indeed were masterpieces and have become classics But even they expressed simple ideas, in words so transparent that he who runs may read

His simplicity is illustrated by the well known Vallandigham incident Clement Vallandigham was an orator who went about the country proclaiming that the administration was inefficient, the officers in the field incompetent, and the war a failure. He was arrested, and by order of President Lincoln, sent down through the lines and delivered over to the Confederates, so that he might be, as Lincoln said, among his friends This act aroused a storm of protest that threatened almost to disrupt the administration. The Democratic party of the North, which was in the main supporting the war to preserve the Union, and furnishing many thousands of soldiers to the Federal armies, under the leadership of Governor Seymour of New York, arose almost in a body in denunciation of this act of President Lincoln Many of his own party criticized it as unjustifiable. A great public meeting was held at Albany, New York, at which resolutions were adopted bitterly denouncing this alleged tyranny, and a committee was appointed to communicate the resolutions to the President Abraham Lincoln might have replied in words of learned length and thundering sound. He might have cited authorities by the hundred, and quoted precedents by the volume Instead, however, he wrote a short and simple letter, which was read through blinding tears at every fireside in the great North

His letter was substantially in these words:

"I understand that the meeting whose resolutions I am considering is in favor of suppressing the rebellion by military force, by armies. All experience teaches that armies cannot be maintained unless desertion is punished by the extreme penalty of death Experience justifies, and the law and the constitution sanction, this penalty. Must I shoot the simple minded soldier boy who deserts, while I must not touch a hair of the wily agitator who induces him to desert? This is none the less injurious because accomplished by enticing the boy's father or brother or friend into a public meeting and working upon his feelings until he is induced to write to the soldier boy that he is fighting in a bad cause for a weak administration of an incompetent government I believe that to silence the agitator and to save the boy is constitutional and merciful."

This plain and simple letter, from a plain and simple man, went straight to the hearts of the plain and simple people of all parties, and left the Albany convention without a constituency. If I were asked to name Abraham Lincoln's most prominent characteristic, I should mention not his keen but kindly humor; not his sympathy, tender as woman's; not his magnetism that made a friend of every man whose hand he clasped; not his wonderful power of analysis by which he vanquished Douglass in debate; not his prescience that foresaw the remotest consequences of every act, but rather his simplicity

Does this suggest weakness? It should not. Simplicity is allied to strength, not weakness The strongest things are the simplest things. Grecian temples which are the admiration and despair of architects, combine the greatest strength with the severest simplicity The masterpiece of the greatest modern artist depicts not a battle, not a historical scene, but two simple peasants saying their prayers, while from a distant belfry the angelus rings. Nineteen hundred years ago among men, tangled in a web of ceremonial and ritualistic religions, there came out of Nazareth a Prophet who taught a new religion that conquered the world by the irresistible strength of its simplicity. And Abraham Lincoln, with a self-reliant strength that made him the leader among the mighty men that surrounded his administration, combined a simplicity that gained for him the confidence and devotion of a nation; for the common people recognized in him a man whose aims and purposes they understood, whose thoughts were their thoughts, and whose heart beat ever in unison with theirs.

Next came a number not previously announced on the program, an original poem by Prof. Kenneth C M Sills of Bowdoin College, which was read by John Clair Minot of Augusta.

God save the State, and send us in our need
More men like him who during troublous time
With patient courage in his word and deed
Magnanimously wrought the task sublime.
Heeding not praise nor blame, only the right,
He bore the burden, and left a portrait great
Thereon all men may gaze and see the light
Shine softly on his face who served the State

Today we call on those who hate the State,
The sullen, alien few who will not see
The freedom that is ours, and won of late,
Not license is, but law-bound liberty,
To lay their hatred by, put strife aside
And seek to know how righteous is our law
Gaze on his face! O take him for your guide
And see our country's kindness, as he saw.

And ye who are suspicious of the State,
Who know the cruelty of restless task,
Who look upon the rich with eyes of hate,
And feel that power and wealth, under the mask
Of perjured justice, rule and sway the land,
O lay not to our country this sin's charge!
Gaze on his face! And strive to understand
How righteous is her mission and how large

And ye who are despairing of the State,
Ye warped, if earnest, souls who often think
That men are evil, worse the times of late,
The country each year nearer ruin's brink,
What though Corruption boldly stalks abroad
And petty men now strut where giants strode?
Gaze on his face! Truth ever routeth fraud
And bringeth peace though long and hard the road.

All ye who are indifferent to the State
Who will not soil your lily hands to vote
Nor join with better men the wrongs so great
To right, who shun the battle and who quote
"Not mine the thankless task, for all the signs
Are bad" Ye lazy, lukewarm sons and inane,
Gaze on his face! Mark well the rugged lines
Made by hard toil! Look long and take fresh shame.

And ye who now and then would serve the State,
Whose bosoms glow when flags are flying free,
Ye vow your deeds your words shall some day mate,
Whilst in great danger lies our liberty.
Long is the task, eternal ages wait
While free men all their glorious battles fight.
Gaze on his face! Learn ere it be too late
To toil, as he did toil, into the night

And ye who from your hearts do love the State,
Whether in war or in the arts of peace
Ye strive to make your country truly great,
Know well all loyal efforts must not cease.
For this Republic only standeth fast
In men and in her freedom richly won
Gaze on his face. Think on the mighty past
And gird you for the work still to be done.

The closing speaker was President George E. Fellows of the University of Maine.

### Address of President Fellows.

The subject of the address by President George E. Fellows of the University of Maine, was "Abraham Lincoln, the Representative American." President Fellows said in part.

Nations far removed in distance or in time come before us, without our conscious thought, as embodied in individuals These individuals, whose characters and careers we know, rise up before us with the mention of the nation's name. Say Carthage, and Hannibal appears, Rome, and it is Ceasar marching to victory with his legions or in the forum falling under the dagger of his friend. Babylon, with hanging gardens and gates of brass, and pomp of oriental splendor, immediately suggests Belshazzar at his feast on the night of his downfall. Think of Egypt, pyramids and sphinx the slowly moving Nile, under a blazing tropical sun, and there is more than an even chance that instead of Pharaohs, Jewish captives, famine or abundance, there will appear before you Plutarch's pen picture of Cleopatra in lazy luxury floating in her gilded barge Nearer to us by many centuries, Medieval Europe is Charlemagne, sixteenth century Germany is Luther or Charles V; Spain suggests Philip II; a recent century of France, filled with despotisms, revolution, foreign war and glory, seems concentrated in Napoleon

Is there one American whom this and all coming ages will unite upon as best representing the character and activities, the inborn nature and the ideals of this Republic? Our history as a nation is so brief in years when compared with other nations on the same plane of civilization, that it might at first thought seem unlikely that the embodied genius of the Republic had yet appeared. Yet within one century questions have been decided for eternity which had racked the souls of men since time began, and in their solution the life and work of one man lifted him to an eminence unapproached by others. That man was Abraham Lincoln

It is no disparagement of Washington if we do not find the American ideal in this grandson of English gentlemen. His grand and unselfish soul led him to serve a new born nation so that all the world will forever call him the Father of his Country. No thoughtful mind has ever for a moment placed any name but that of Washington by the side of Lincoln. Nothing should ever be thought or said to minimize in any way the public services or personal greatness of Washington. Yet great as was the task before him, we can see now that it scarcely balanced the later problem of holding together a nation of thirty millions split in two by the bitterest controversy in political history

No higher tributes or careful estimates of his life and character can be found than some from those who differed from him politically or fought four years in the Confederate army To mention three only, one political antagonist, one in arms, and a southern woman twenty years after the war.

Henry Watterson, journalist, orator, Confederate soldier, says: "serenity, however, not levity, was the prevailing mood with him To me he seemed a wholly resolute man." "His expression was serious to the point of gravity, not a scintillation of humor." "He became the incarnation of the brain and soul of the Union"

Stephen A Douglas, his most powerful opponent, said: "He is the greatest debater I ever met either here or anywhere else."

A warm friend of mine, daughter of a southern general, niece of Jefferson Davis, who was impoverished by the war, who lost a great estate and slaves worth half a million dollars, and who was at the time teaching school in New Orleans for a pitiful salary, told me her sorrow at the death of Lincoln and her firm conviction that his conduct of the war was "God's method of wiping out the curse of slavery."

His first and second inaugural, his Cooper Union speech, his Gettysburg address, will live if all other words he ever uttered be forgotten In these no thought or trace of humor can be found, but instead a simplicity, directness, and dignity comparable to the solemn grandeur of a psalm. Indeed it is more than probable that Lincoln's style was drawn from his constant reading and re-reading of the Bible When he had little or nothing else to read he studied the English Bible Later, when great libraries were within easy reach, he still devoted unnumbered hours to thoughtful search of the Scriptures. He read until the grandest passages became a part of himself. He saw the problems of life with such words as these ever ringing in his ears, "The Heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament sheweth his handiwork," or, "Lord, Thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever Thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, Thou art God." Is there not much of the same grandeur and universal feeling in the closing sentences of the Gettysburg address, when he says:

"That we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain. That this Nation, under God, shall have a new birth of Freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, and for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

Brief as was his dedicatory address (268 words in all), it is considered a masterpiece of English prose Oxford University, creator of England's ideals for a thousand years, has it cast in bronze and placed where it may serve as a model for England's future statesmen and scholars

Edward Everett, whose polished oratory had been the pride of the nation for three decades, gave the principal address at Gettysburg His eloquence swayed the multitudes. At the close of the exercises Mr. Lincoln warmly congratulated Mr Everett for the masterly address Everett replied, "Mr. President, gladly would I exchange my entire hundred pages to have been the author of your twenty lines."

A few years ago, just after a visit to the Lincoln Tomb at Springfield, I was expressing to a friend my regret that there would be no direct descendants by the name of Lincoln. I called attention to the fact that Mr. Lincoln's only living son had lost his only son. My friend replied that perhaps it were better so, for no descendants could have added luster to the name, and many might have dimmed it Thus, instead of a few scattered individuals inheriting his name, the re-united States are all his heirs, and they, with their constantly increasing millions, will forever give thanks that they have inherited the blessings resulting from the life and work of Lincoln.

To summarize: Nations live in history through the greatness of some individual representative. The one who most completely represents the very essence of the American Republic is Abraham Lincoln. He stands first for the perpetuity of the Union. He also stands for all the world as the ideal of Democracy and Universal Brotherhood. His enemies unite with his friends in recognizing his greatness. He emerged from obscurity, and will be represented by no descendents

So there he stands, alone, appearing for a brief time to perform the great task which came to him, then taken away, leaving his work and personality as a legacy to the ages.

### Kennebec Pomona at Belgrade.

The first meeting of Kennebec Pomona held since the election of officers was held with Belgrade grange Wednesday, Feb 10, with a good attendance in spite of the storm which was raging so furiously, proving that it takes something more serious than a snowstorm to keep the members of Kennebec Pomona at home Meeting was called to order at 10 30 with Worthy Master J. C. Hewitt in the chair A number of patrons from surrounding granges were present. The obligation of the fifth degree was given a class of 12, it being impossible to give the degree in full form owing to the absence of the officer having the care of the paraphernalia, which was much regretted by all A recess of one hour was taken for dinner, to which 100 patrons did ample justice

Meeting was again called to order and placed in charge of Worthy Lecturer pro tem, James Tebbetts of Belgrade grange, who presented the following program: Singing by the grange choir address of welcome by Sister Nellie C Pray of Belgrade grange; response, Bro Jesse Spaulding of Readfield, reading Bro. Atmon Clark of Belgrade; an original poem by Bro. Spaulding of Salmon Lake Grange; a duet by Bro and Sister Clarence Richardson which was heartily applauded, and kindly responded, original paper by Sister Clara Hammond of Belgrade, reading by Sister Bickford of Salmon Lake Grange, the question for discussion "What Today is the Greatest Danger That Threatens the American People"? was opened by Brother Clifford of Winthrop in an able manner Bro Clifford took the ground that Foreign Immigration" is the greatest danger threatening the people of America at the present time He was followed by Worthy Master Hewitt Bro Varney of Sidney contended that 'Concentration of Wealth" was even worse than the foreign element He was followed by Bro Gleason of Oakland, who spoke briefly Reading, Roy Cook of Salmon Lake Grange was next in order. An original paper, "Economy on the Farm Indoors and Out," by Bro Cook of Salmon Lake Grange. Bro Cook took the ground that economy both inside and out were necessary to the best success on the farm. An original poem by Bro. Spaulding of Salmon Lake completed the program of one of the best meetings of Kennebec Pomona ever held

The students of the high school were given a half holiday and they, together with their teachers, attended the afternoon session Brother Gleason of Cascade Grange, Oakland, extended invitation in behalf of his grange to the members of Belgrade Grange to attend an all-day meeting of Cascade Grange to be held Saturday Feb 20. Next meeting of Kennebec Pomona will be with Cascade grange March 10.

### NORTH AUGUSTA.

Lincoln day was observed at the Ballard school in an appropriate manner The room was fittingly decorated with crepe paper, bunting and flags Several of the parents were present Much credit is due the pupils and the teacher, Miss Ella Hodgkins, for the manner in which the following program was given Song "Lincoln", "Abraham Lincoln," Christina Duncan, "For My Country" Norman Fisher, recitation, Olive Farwell song, "Red, White and Blue" recitation, Maud Hill, "At Least I'll Try," Clinton Fulger, "Was Lincoln King?" Ada Davis song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic", Eugene Hill, "Our Flag," Alberta Luce "O Captain, My Captain," Edith Farwell, singing, "America

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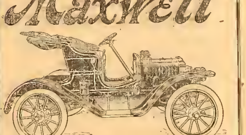

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Royalists in Paris have been blowing off steam of late by breaking windows This appears to be the extent of their capacity for mischief

Another little war cloud has appeared on the Balkan horizon, but it is not believed that it will amount to much.

King Edward and the Kaiser have met and kissed, still there has been no discontinuance of the work on the new battleships in either country.

Mr Bryan has not demanded a recount, but Uncle Adlai Stevenson is still standing by his contest on the governorship of Illinois.

Castro is reported to be purchasing arms and ammunition. The indications are that he will need them if he ever succeeds in getting back into Venezuela

The real dangers that will confront the President-elect in New Orleans will be chiefly of the gastronomic order. Excess of hospitality has killed many a good man

The flood of poetry that greeted Mr. Taft's visit to the south, has not yet subsided That section of the country may always be depended upon to give full measure in its hospitalities.

Chief Moore of the weather bureau does not like it because people thank Providence when the weather is fair but damn the weather man when it storms However, he will have to bring about a great reformation in human nature before things are different along this line

For Taft, 'possum, persimmon beer, pone and yams in Georgia, terrapin and palmetto salad in South Carolina, and alligator steak, pampano, bouillabaisse and gumbo in Louisiana All this in the solid South for the Republican president-elect For Bryan in Florida the same old diet of crow.

Inasmuch as the question whether or not Washington ever threw a silver dollar across the Potomac can scarcely be decided on the evidence now at hand, the Philadelphia Inquirer suggests that Taft settle the matter by driving a golf ball over the Potomac This could be made historic

Maine's celebration of the Lincoln centenary was worthy of the occasion, and when August 27 arrives we must not forget that it is the 100th anniversary of the birth of that great son of Maine, Hannibal Hamlin, who stood beside Lincoln through those four red years.

Maybe we can settle this "national problem" by persuading the colored brother to enlist against the yellow peril -Atlanta Constitution.

To the credit of the colored brother it must be said that his military record—notwithstanding the Brownsville affair—has usually been a good one.

Once more the time worn question "Should actresses marry?" is up for discussion. An actor recently stated in court his opinion that actresses, as a rule, make very poor wives, and there is a very general belief that the stage is not the best possible place in which to cultivate the domestic virtues.

Everybody is glad to know that Denman Thompson is better. There are many popular actors upon the stage but none with a greater hold upon the hearts of more people than is possessed by this remarkable old gentleman who hails from Swansea, N. H., and whose success in delineating "Josh Whitcomb" may be said to have established a new school of dramatic art.

A Philadelphia paper points out the interesting coincidence that just as we are celebrating the centennial anniversary of the birth of Lincoln the man who discovered that Booth was the assassin, who tried to stop him and was stabbed for his pains, now lies dying. This man is William S Withers, who was leader of the orchestra in Ford's Theatre on the night of the assassination

Miss Helen Keller is to make her home permanently in Maine If one is deaf, dumb and blind, there is considerable advantage in living in a State like Maine —Houston Post.

And this from Texas! From Texas of the lone star and louder man! From Texas which raises only lizards, cacti, Democrats and the devil! From Texas whose vast wastes have been called "the land that God forgot"! This from such a state as texas about the State of Maine, the summer paradise of the nation, the place on the continent where life is most worth living, the land of the bluest skies, the noblest men and the fairest women!

### Lincoln's Descendants.

It has been beautifully said that "Providence left Washington childless that his countrymen might forever call him Father." Lincoln left descendants, but after the death of his son, Robert T. Lincoln, who is now 66 years of age, the name in the male line will become extinct The family line of Lincoln consists today of three generations with a single member in each. Lincoln had three sons, Robert T., who survives, William, who died in 1862 during the darkest days of the war, and Thomas, named for Lincoln's father and commonly known as "Tad" whose portrait standing by his father's knee is familiar to all, and who died soon after the war.

Robert T was born August 1, 1813, and was at Harvard during the four years that the family occupied the White House When he graduated in 1864 he went to the front upon the staff of General Grant, and after the war studied law and soon gained success and eminence in his chosen profession President Garfield made him Secretary of War and he continued to fill this position under the administration of President Arthur. During the administration of Harrison he was minister to Great Britain Since then he has practiced his profession in Chicago and is rated as the leader of the Illinois bar He has borne worthily a great name and has won success on his own merits in spite of the handicap—and it is undoubtedly a handicap—of being the son of a great man. Robert T. Lincoln married a daughter of James Harland, who was United States Senator from Illinois for three terms and whom Lincoln appointed Secretary of the Interior at the beginning of his second administration. They have only one child, a daughter Mary, who married Charles Isham in 1891. Mr. Isham is a graduate of Harvard in the class of 1876 and is a resident of Chicago. Of this marriage there has been born one child, Lincoln Isham, now a boy of 17 years.

### A Special Lincoln Edition.

The Portland Evening Express is to be congratulated upon its splendid Lincoln memorial edition which it published Thursday evening This is a 10-page supplement devoted wholly to Lincoln centenary themes and was a most creditable piece of journalistic enterprise. In fact, probably nothing more ambitious or better executed in all its details was undertaken by any newspaper in the country on this occasion. There are long articles upon Lincoln, Hannibal Hamlin, William Fessenden, Horatio King, Stephen A Douglas and Leonard Swett, the former Maine man who was a powerful factor in electing Lincoln to the presidency There are estimates of Lincoln's character and tributes to his life from both President-elect Taft and Vice President-elect Sherman as well as from a score of men of prominence throughout Maine There is a long article upon Dr. Octavius K Yates of West Paris who is undoubtedly the only man now living in Maine who was present at Ford Theatre on the night that Lincoln was shot. His vivid description of the tragedy makes a most interesting tale at this time. There is also a personal narrative from James H. Taylor, a Portland man who led one of the horses that drew the catafalque bearing the president's body. There are many extracts from Lincoln's writings and utterances, including a fac simile of the immortal Gettysburg address. In the supplement there are a score of illustrations made from photographs, especially collected at no small trouble and expense for this edition. Everything in the supplement is original and the whole makes a souvenir of the Lincoln centenary which will be treasured in thousands of homes. The Express has done itself proud and reflects new luster upon Maine newspaperdom.

Senator Tillman intimates that South Carolina has "undertaken" to disfranchise the Negro.—Atlanta Constitution

There has long been a popular impression that she has practically accomplished that result, although she still enjoys a representation in Congress based in large part, upon her Negro population.

King Edward is a man of great tact, and will be certain to leave a pleasant impression behind him when he leaves Germany. Meanwhile the Kaiser will have an excellent opportunity to brush up on his English.

Kangaroo steak is the latest fad of the New York City epicures. Not specially inviting certainly, to the average man, still most of them would chance it in preference to the alligator variety.

On the whole Dorando appears to have made a greater hit on this side of the Atlantic than his countryman Signor Ferrero who has just sailed for home

Hiram Maxim asserts his belief that the next war will be fought in the air. Still there would not appear to be any pressing need for the construction of bomb proof cellars in anticipation of it.

Senator Jeff Davis says he would not be an alarmist. He couldn't be. The American people do not take him seriously enough for that

The man who is most certain of getting pure food is the man of simple diet.

### Now the Noiseless Rifle.

It is not a son of Maine, but rather a grandson of Maine who is the inventor of the new device for making rifles noiseless, or practically so. The inventor in question is Hiram P. Maxim, who is the son of Hiram S Maxim, the famous native of Maine who now, however, calls England his home and who was knighted by Queen Victoria. This new device which promises to supplement smokeless powder in making the warfare of the future a very different thing from that of the past, is called a "silencer," and scientific tests which have been made show that about 90 per cent of the noise caused by the discharge of a rifle is eliminated without the efficiency of the weapon being in the least impaired.

Mr. Maxim gave a demonstration of this invention in New York the other day before an audience composed of scientists and newspaper representatives ,and the world is now being made familiar with the invention to which many references have been made in the press of late. For the benefit of those who have a hazy idea, or none at all, as to how the noise of explosion is deadened, it is explained that the silencer is a metal tube about seven inches long and an inch and a quarter in diameter. This device is fastened to the end of the barrel of the rifle, which is provided with a thread for that purpose. Hitherto it had been supposed that there was some sort of valve in the silencer which stopped the rapid escape of the gasses from the end of the rifle barrel, as it is these gasses which cause the noise made when a rifle is fired Mr. Maxim explained during the course of his demonstrations that the principle used in stopping or slowing up the gases is that of a negative turbine, and that the process, in effect, is the reverse of that used in driving boats with a turbine engine.

There is a hole through the center of the silencer large enough to permit the passage of the bullet, but the gases are given a rapid rotary motion by the device, which prevents their escape until this motion has died down. Mr. Maxim, in explaining his device, used the simple illustration of a wash basin with a hole in the bottom. By giving a rapid rotary motion to the water it is prevented from escaping through the vent until the motion slackens, and then it escapes slowly, the rate of escape being faster as the motion decreases. While the water is revolving rapidly the vent is open so that a small object is able to pass through freely. The great advantage of this device, which has been patented in 24 countries, lies in the fact, according to the inventor, that in warfare the commands of officers can be heard and the confusion of continuous rifle fire will be eliminated. In hunting and target practice the absence of loud noise is of distinct advantage. Moreover, it is asserted that the device also lessens the force of recoil, while it does not lessen the velocity of the bullet, as the gases have exerted their full force upon the projectile before the silencer is reached It is not understood that the device can be used on shotguns, though an adaptation of the principle involved may sooner or later be applied in this direction.

### Fighting the White Plague.

The war of fighting tuberculosis is being constantly extended.

At the last meeting of the Executive Council of the Modern Woodman Society, held at the headquarters of the Society in Rock Island, Ill., it was decided to conduct that Society's sanatorium, located at Colorado Springs, Colo, for the treatment of members afflicted with tuberculosis, free of all charge to members.

The Modern Woodmen Society, several months since, acquired 1,380 acres of land within seven miles of Colorado Springs, and has established thereon an up-to-date sanatorium, the tent colony plan being employed. The first colony was opened for the reception of patients on Jan. 1, 1909. It is equipped to care for 60 patients, to which number admission will be limited for the present.

The tents are octagonal structures, with shingle roofs, canvas sides, hard wood floors on solid cement foundations, heated by a central plant, equipped with all modern conveniences such as telephones, etc., and each tent will accommodate one patient. An administration building for physicians, nurses, dining hall, baths of all kinds, etc, stands in the center of the colony.

Dr J. E. White, formerly of the Nordrach ranch sanatorium, the medical director in charge, states that only those consumptive members who are curable, or whose lives may be prolonged for a considerable length of time, will be admitted as patients. The wisdom of this rule is apparent. Rigid medical examination as a condition precedent to admission will be insisted upon in every case, and special blank forms have been prepared for this purpose.

A movement is already under way to equip the second colony plant of 60 tents. Each tent or tent house, completely equipped, represents an expense of $250, and a number of local Camps, or lodges, of the Society have decided to donate tents. As there are over 14,000 local Camps of Modern Woodmen, and over 1,000,000 members, it is anticipated that several colonies will soon be equipped in this way.

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The members and local Camps of the Society have voluntarily contributed to the Sanatorium fund over $70,000, and at the last national convention a permanent tax of ten cents per member per year was voted to the support of this work.

It is too bad that President Roosevelt's many engagements will not permit him an opportunity to arrange a permanent peace between Presidents Pulliam and Johnson

The fans must be patient. In a fortnight more the big baseball teams will be on the way South to try out their new phenoms from the minor leagues.

Canada also has a so-called "Japanese problem," but her people are not permitting themselves to become excited over it

And still Maryland suffers from the private ownership of turnpikes—a distinct relic of the dark ages.

The war between the United States and Japan has been indefinitely postponed.

Washingtonians indignantly deny any intention to "bleed" the visitors at the forthcoming inauguration.

## Maine Gossip

### Valentines.

A message awaits thee, O young heart and gay!
  A message of tenderest love!
Then open thy lattice St. Valentine's Day
  And welcome with greetings thy dove.

Look then 'neath its pinions, a missive of white,
  Close written and sealed for thy hand.
Sweet bearer! How swift and soft winged its flight
  Afar o'er the snow-tinted land!

When haste! To the brave word of passion give heed
  And still the sweet fire of thy breast!
Thy dove, newly burdened, will bear with all speed
  The answer thy lips have caressed!
—Metropolitan Magazine

The next few weeks will seem like old times on the Kennebec ice fields.

The Valentine season is on, but happily the so-called "comic" variety is less prominent that formerly.

There were Lincoln celebrations everywhere, but there was not one too many on the whole long list.

The crew of the schooner Georgia, wrecked on Monroe island had a strenuous introduction to the Maine coast in winter and it is a marvel that no lives were lost.

Curiously enough the first patient admitted to the new Bath hospital came from Lewiston which has several of the largest and best hospitals in the State.

Portland is to have an experience with the "Tag day" nuisance, Feb. 26 Of course, it is in a good cause as usual, but it is a public nuisance just the same.

Plans for a $15,000 summer cottage for Ira M. Cobe of Chicago, to be built at Northport, have been drawn by Spencer & Powers of Chicago. Mr. Cobe already has a fine cottage on the south shore, but prefers location farther removed and more quiet and has obtained control of a desirable site known as Hillside, overlooking Penobscot bay. It is understood that work will begin as early in the spring as possible.

The graduation parts are already being announced in some of the schools and as usual the young ladies gather them in. This is the case at Foxcroft academy which has a graduating class of 23 and where the salutatorian and valedictorian named on the basis of rank, will be young ladies

Some of our Maine journalistic contemporaries are evidently not aware that there is no such place as "Rumford Falls." By order of the powers that be, the name was changed to "Rumford."—Biddeford Journal.

It will also take a generation or two for the people in the vicinity of the town in question to get used to the change. They have long spoken of it as "the Falls" and the habit will not easily be broken by any edict from the postal authorities.

In speaking of the proposition to change the State flag—abandoning the design legalized in 1901 and returning to the design showing the State seal on a blue field, which was used in the Civil war—it has been stated that only one copy of the new State flag is in existence, that at the State House in the office of the adjutant general. There is at least one other copy of the flag in the State, a large one which figures in the decorations of the well known Rangeley camp of Hon F E Timberlake of Portland, the ex-bank examiner. For a time Mr. Timberlake had this flag at his Portland office, and he won many cigars on wagers that prominent and well informed Maine men who happened in could not tell what flag it was. Almost without exception they failed to recognize the flag, with its buff field, its green pine in the center and its blue star, as the official State emblem of Maine. Later he took the flag to his Rangeley camp, famed far and wide for its hospitality, where it figures among the many valuable and interesting relics and curiosities which adorn its walls.

One of the most interesting recent arrivals in Monmouth, from the South, was that of an opossum sent Ora Knox by his friend, William Schnalbert of St. Louis Mr. Schnalbert has spent some time the past few winters in Monmouth and vicinity and has become much interested in the townspeople, so that when he wired that a live 'possum was en route for Monmouth, expectation ran high. The little fellow arrived in due time. Few Monmouth people having seen the 'possum in his own home, large numbers availed themselves of the privilege of calling on him at Mr Knox's home. The little fellow weighed some 15 pounds and excited much curiosity and interest, especially on the part of the school children. Held by his long, rat-like tail in the hand of Mr Knox, he was indeed a funny looking animal, looking so sharply out of his little bead-like, black eyes. His rations were only partaken of by night and consisted of apples and meat The 'possum was on exhibition for several days, after which Mr. Knox enjoyed roast 'possum quite as much as did President-elect Taft.

Bangor Commercial. The freak and snake editor of the Commercial has been informed on the very highest and most trustworthy information, regarding the queer doings of a celebrated pullet of the Rhode Island Red breed of hens, owned by one of our subscribers, Charles Emery of Orrington Center Mr. Emery has about 25 of these hens although we know nothing about them individually, with the exception of this last spring pullet. She is a prolific layer of good fair eggs of the regulation size—as they should be with eggs at 35 cents per dozen—the shell of that rich, dark brown in color, so much sought after by the first families in Bangor. But this pullet made a slip in the record the other day. She laid an egg one and three-fourths inches in length and three and ten-sixteenths in diameter; attached to one end of which was a little wart of an egg, seven-sixteenths of an inch long, no trace of the union being noticed so perfect was it united to the other egg Of course the egg was not of the commercial standard and is only made the subject of newspaper mention on account of its unique exterior. But hold! That egg was boiled and was found to contain no yolk! We have always been partial to a Rhode Island Red pullet, but as to a pullet of any breed which lays an egg with no yolk—well we must cut acquaintance with that hen p. d. q.! by wireless or otherwise

## MAINE EDITORIAL COMMENT.

### For Our Farmers to Consider.

(Turf Farm and Home.)

With Oregon sending us apples, Nebraska hay, Kansas horses, Missouri mules and corn, Chicago bogus butter, Michigan eggs, Vermont maple sugar, and New York canned apples, isn't it about time that Maine farmers cast an eye to the windward to see whence they are drifting, or rather where their market is going to, for all the above named articles grow naturally on Maine soil Why then should our markets be glutted with products from all over these United States? We have not mentioned the influx of German potatoes but have carefully confined ourselves to strictly domestic competition on articles especially adapted to our Maine soil. Again we ask in all seriousness whither are we drifting? Will some well posted authority enlighten us?

### Augusta Hospitality.

(Somerset Reporter.)

When the five hundred or six hundred guests came away from the reception the other night at Augusta given by Ex-Gov. Hill and wife, the crisp winter air was warmed by exclamations of delight and praise. In the first place, there is not another private house in the State where so many people can be entertained at the same time. What a delight it must be to have the facilities and kindly disposition to make so many people happy in rational companionship and enjoyment. The reception was given to the State government, officers and members of the Legislature, the members of the Maine Press Association, and other guests. Gov. Fernald and wife assisted Mr. and Mrs. Hill in receiving and this was the first public function at which they have appeared since the inauguration They made a fine impression of ease and quiet dignity, while extremely cordial to all. The people are becoming very much attached to "Bert," as he is affectionately called, and without any disrespect to his high official position The mansion, with its permanent decorations, is elegance itself, but added to these there was a profusion of flowers in halls, drawing rooms, library, dining room, corridors, and all the spacious appartments, and these combined with the costly and tasty costumes of the ladies of culture and refinement, made up a scene of bewildering beauty. The refreshments were so abundant and choice that they constituted a real banquet. Think of serving strawberries at this time of the year to five or six hundred guests Inspiring music of the orchestra called the young folks and some old duffers as well—to the giddy dance in the exquisite ball room in the upper story of the mansion.

### Farm Animals in Maine.

(Portland Press.)

They are nothing but estimates of the department of agriculture, given in round numbers Nevertheless the estimates of the number of farm animals in the United States, Jan. 1, 1909, are not pleasing so far as they relate to the State of Maine for they show a decline in almost all classes By the census of 1900 the number of neat cattle in Maine was 338,847, of horses, 106,299; of sheep, 420,116; of swine, 79,018; of mules, 358, of asses and burros, 48; and the goats, 279 The 1909 estimates are, neat cattle, 324,000, horses, 117,000; sheep, 262,000, swine, 68,000. This shows a decline in all but horses, which have increased 10,000. There is also an increase of about 4000 in dairy cows, although all cattle have fallen off about 14,000 Sheep have decreased 37 per cent, if the figures are correct, and swine 14 per cent The figures would appear to indicate a general decline save in dairying and horse-breeding, while in the country at large the number of domestic animals has increased moderately in every class Various men will probably seize the figures for the purpose of supporting their various views Thus the low tariff men will say, "Now see what comes of your tariff on cattle," and the Maine Democrats will say, "Behold the results of Republican government" Probably that tariff and the party policies have had nothing to do with it, otherwise the decline should have been general, instead of being as it is in fact, exceptional. Probably the Maine farmers are raising less beeves, sheep and hogs and more horses and milch cows because they find that dairying and horse-breeding pay better

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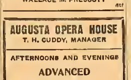

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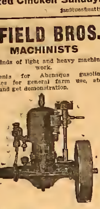

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Members of the Howard Benevolent Union and others interested please remember the meeting at 122 State street at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Lincoln day, the new holiday, was observed by the banks and schools yesterday, and by the holding of special exercises at City hall last evening under the management of a special legislative committee, but outside of these observances and the display of the National colors in several places evidences of a holiday were few.

An important meeting of the Kennebec Central Driving Club will be held at the Cony House at 8 o'clock Monday evening. Matters relative to the coming races on the Hallowell track between the club and the Lewiston and Auburn Driving Club will be taken up, and all members of the club are requested to be present.

E. E. Walker of Monmouth, who has the contract for cutting and yarding 1000 cords of hard wood at East Winthrop for the Purinton Bros Co. of this city, has the work well under way and has between 500 and 600 cords yarded near the pumping station at Cobbosseecontee, the wood being of very fine quality. During the coming season the wood will be brought to the company's woodyard in this city and sawed up.

The many friends of Dr. Bigelow T. Sanborn, superintendent of the Maine Insane hospital in this city, who is enjoying a visit at Southern Pines, N. C., will be pleased to learn that in a private letter to a friend in this city Dr Sanborn writes that he rest he is getting is doing a great deal of good, that he is becoming quite vigorous, and has strong hopes that he will return home with his old time strength.

### Funeral of Late Henry A. Cummings.

The funeral of the late Henry A. Cummings was held at his late residence on the Eight Rod road in North Augusta at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon in the presence of relatives and a large number of friends, among the latter being a delegation of veterans from Seth Williams Post, G. A. R., of which organization the deceased was a member. The services were conducted by Rev Frances Grovenor of Sidney and the bearers were from Seth Williams Post. The interment was made in the family lot in the North Augusta cemetery.

### Current Events Club Meeting.

Current Events Club met Friday afternoon at the hospitable home of one of its members, Mrs. S. C. Webster, with nearly 100 guests and members present. A fine musical and literary program was enjoyed.

Roll call was answered by interesting reminiscences of Lincoln, piano selections, rendered by Mrs. George Brickett, followed by vocal solos by Mrs. Charles McNamara, who was accompanied in the piano by Mrs Lida Higgins. Mrs. F. H. White, State president of the Maine Federation of Womens Clubs, gave an interesting talk on the "Rise and Development of Club Work." Mrs. J. Fremont Dearborn played a cornet solo with piano accompaniment by Mrs. J. C. Houle. Miss Maud Andrews read from Mary Shipman Andrew's story "The Perfect Tribute."

A social hour was enjoyed during which chocolate, sandwiches, ice cream and cake was served by Mrs. Frank Burgess and Mrs. H. J. Frederick.

## DIVORCES DECREED.

### By Judge Hall at January Term of Superior Court.

The following divorces were decreed by Judge Hall by the January session of the superior court for Kennebec county:

Annie M. Beal of Augusta from Albert W. Beal, residence unknown, for 24 years utter desertion. Williamson & Burleigh of Augusta for the libelant.

Estelle A. W. Gilman of Canterbury, Conn., from George G. Gilman of Mt Vernon, for desertion. Execution for costs taxed at $20 to issue. Heath & Andrews of Augusta for the libelant.

Bessie A. Pinkham from Willis A. Pinkham, both of Windsor, for cruel and abusive treatment. Care and custody of the daughter, Helena, given to the mother. Care and custody of the son, Harry, to be in the hands of the father two-thirds of the time and in the hands of the mother one-third of the time. Fremont J. C. Little of Augusta for the libelant.

Theo A. Soule of Fairfield from Albert B. Soule of Lewiston, for adultery. Execution for costs taxed at $20 to issue. C. W. Hussy of Waterville for the libelant and John E. Nelson of Waterville for the libellee.

Everett R. Gower of Oakland from Clara L. Gower of Athens for desertion. Henry L. Hunton of Oakland for the libelant.

Charles M. Gray of Monmouth from Mary Alice Gray of Sherbrooke, Quebec, for adultery. O. B. Clason of Gardiner for the libelant.

Cora B. McClure of Fairfield from William P. McClure of Waterville, for cruel and abusive treatment and gross and confirmed habits of intoxication. C. W. Hussey of Waterville for the libelant.

Fanny E. Farwell from Charles H. Farwell, both of Augusta, for gross and confirmed habits of intoxication. E. W. Whitehouse of Augusta for the libelant.

Nellie Waters from James Waters, both of Waterville, for gross and confirmed habits of intoxication and cruel and abusive treatment. Execution for costs taxed at $20 to issue. Brown & Brown of Waterville for the libelant.

Jennie Harding from Maynard Harding, both of Benton, for adultery. Execution for costs taxed at $20 to issue. C. W. Hussey of Waterville for the libelant.

Ella F. Doyle of Sidney from Henry A. Doyle of Belgrade, for gross, wanton and cruel neglect and refusal to provide suitable maintenance and cruel and abusive treatment. The libelant has the right to resume her maiden name of Ella F. Reynolds. Melvin E. Sawtelle of Augusta for the libelant.

Edith A. Tuttle from Eben Tuttle, both of Randolph, for gross and confirmed habits of intoxication. Care and custody of the children given to the mother with the privilege to the father of visiting them at proper times. Execution for costs taxed at $20 to issue. Will C. Atkins of Gardiner for libelant.

Grace M. Whitehouse of Augusta from Walter S. Whitehouse of Hallowell, for cruel and abusive treatment. Care and custody of the children given to the mother with the privilege of the father visiting them at proper times. W. H. Fisher of Augusta for the libelant.

Ezra S. Whitcomb from Blanch Files Whitcomb, both of Waterville, for cruel and abusive treatment. Care and custody of the daughter given to the father with the right of the mother to visit her at proper times and places. John E. Nelson of Waterville for the libelant.

Eleanor A. Powers of Waterville from William Powers, residence unknown, gross, wanton and cruel neglect and refusal to provide suitable maintenance. Care and custody of the minor children given to the mother. Henry C. Sullivan of Portland for the libelant.

Lillian Chamberlain of Augusta from Samuel Chamberlain, residence unknown, for desertion. Williamson & Burleigh of Augusta for the libelant.

A divorce was denied Emma Casey from Warren Casey, both of Augusta. The libelant brought the action on the grounds of cruel and abusive treatment, gross, wanton and cruel neglect and refusal to provide suitable maintenance and gross and confirmed habits of intoxication. E. W. Whitehouse of Augusta for the libelant.

## AUGUSTA CHURCHES.

### Sunday Services To Which All Are Cordially Invited to Attend.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE: Sunday services at 11 A. M.; subject: "Soul," Sunday school same hour. Wednesday at 7.45 P. M., Woodmen's hall, 297 Water street.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, State street. First mass at 7.30 A. M.; high mass at 10.30 A. M.; vesper and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 7.30 P. M.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, Northern Ave. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by Rev. Mr. Burnham of Manchester, Sabbath school at 12 M.; prayer meeting at 7 P. M.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST. Sunday service at 10.45 A. M., subject "Soul." Wednesday evening meeting at 7.30 at the Christian Science reading room, 93 Sewall Street.

THE PROGRESSIVE SPIRITUALIST SOCIETY will hold meetings in G. A. R. hall, Water Street, at 2.30 and 7.30 P. M. Wellman C. Whitney of Springfield Mass., the speaker and test medium. Special music by Prof. Thieme and Mrs Dennis.

Rev. Geo. G. Williams will conduct the services at Friends' chapel Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock, and in the evening at 7 o'clock. Meetings every evening through the week except Saturday, commencing at 7.30.

FIRST BAPTIST church on Winthrop street, B. P. Hope pastor. Morning sermon on "Glorying in Men," Sunday school at noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45; evening service at 7.30 with sermon on "How to Do God's Will."

GOSPEL MISSION. Sunday school at 2 P. M., Gospel services at 3 and 7.30 P. M. Evangelist George Williams of Manchester, N. H., will preach at the afternoon meeting, and Mrs Exie Estes will preach at the evening service. Meetings during the week every evening except Wednesday.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL church, Green street, Henry E. Dunnack minister: 10.30, sermon, "The Second Coming of Christ," 12, Bible school, George M. Ryder superintendent, 6.30, Epworth League prayer meeting; 7.30, Lincoln centennial exercises with address by Hon. Ira G. Hersey.

UNITARIAN church, corner of State and Oak streets, Edwin M. Slocombe minister. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 11.45; vesper service at 4.30, conducted by Dean Fenn of the Harvard Divinity school. Union service with the Congregational church at 7.30 P. M. with sermon by Dean Fenn.

PENNEY MEMORIAL CHURCH, Free Baptist, Rev Chas. G. Mosher, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30, sermon by the pastor, subject, "Success Through Defeat." Special music. Sunday school at noon, men's organized Bible class in audience room; C. E. meeting for Bible study at 6.45, theme, "Melchizidek", evening service at 7.30, Stereopticon lecture on Messina since the earthquake. Colored views of the ruins. Special musical program under direction of J. Francis MacNichol.

SOUTH PARISH CONGREGATIONAL church, David Herbert Evans minister: 10.30, Morning worship with address by Hon. Herbert M. Heath on "Abraham Lincoln, Statesman and Christian," 12, Bible school 6.30, Y. P. S. C. E., 7.30, evening worship in the church—union service of the Unitarian and Congregational churches at which Rev. W. W. Fenn, D. D., dean of Harvard Divinity school, will preach. Friday, 7.30 P. M., public service in the chapel.

## SOMERSET.

### SMITHFIELD.

Harlow Bigelow was called to Waterville again by the serious illness of his father, Levi Bigelow, who is a very old gentleman and his recovery is thought to be doubtful.

The family of Scott Bigelow are having a serious time with the measles. Mr. Bigelow is very sick, beside four other inmates of the house.

Mrs Mary Warren returned home Wednesday from Waterville.

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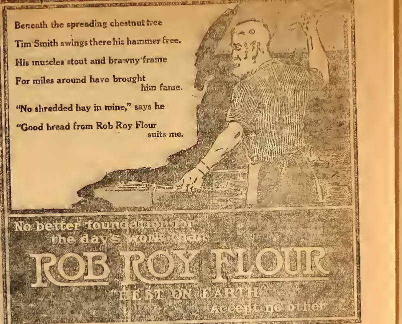
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## LATEST SPORTING NEWS.

## INTER-CITY RACES

### At Lewiston with Augusta Horses Breaking Even.

### Trixy S. and Bayard M. Win Free-for-all and 2.40 Pace.

### Kennebec Valley People Loud in Praise of Entertainment.

A large party of Augusta, Hallowell and Gardiner people went over to Lewiston yesterday to attend the ice races and were royally entertained. The following interesting account of the day's races was kindly furnished the Journal by Harry H. Lee:

Before the largest crowd that was ever seen on the ice track at Lewiston, four good races were pulled off without accident Friday afternoon.

Trixey, 2 16 1-4, bay mare, by Stirling, won the firsts, second and fifth heats from the unbeaten speedway horse Arius, 2 16 1-4, b g, by Garnet Wilkes. The story goes that this horse has won 19 straight races over ice and snow, the handsome Stirling mare being the first one to take his measure. The mare broke a forward shoe in the third heat, and in the fourth a team driven by some very careless person (to say the least) pulled squarely in front of her, about half way down and a collision was very narrowly averted. In the fifth it looked as though she was beaten, but she finished her mile at a clip that made the gelding look cheap, winning by half a length.

Fred Perkins of Augusta drove Trixey S. in masterly style. Al Russell of Lewiston, one of our best drivers, steered Arius for two heats, then Frank Hayden took him. Had Ed Geers been there the result would have been the same.

Rattler G., 2 23 1-4, owned by Harry Coburn of Lewiston, won his race handily. Driver Waite took his mount out in front and the result was never in doubt.

The Augusta contingent was greatly disappointed by the showing made by the chestnut mare Nelsonita, 2.23 1-4, owned by J. M. Nichols of Augusta and driven by Oscar Anderson. She did not have her speed—that tells the whole story, and Rattler G. was in perfect form.

Prince Gothard, trotter, also owned by Mr. Nichols, had all the speed he ever had but was unsteady, much to the surprise of his admirers. El Capitan, bay gelding, by Alavolo, 2.25 1-4, owned by George Fogg of Lewiston, was full of trot, went good gaited, and finished strong. Hayden handled him as only Hayden can.

Bayard M., blk g, by Colma Dona, owned by H. M. Springer of the Capital City, won the first, third and fourth heats. He was driven by Augusta's well-known driver, W. F. Webb. Hayden drove Charlie Herr, Jr., owned by George Bonnallie, for three heats but he made expensive breaks in two of them and his owner tried him in the fourth, but he broke and the race went to the Augusta horse. Bonnallie's horse does not wear the straps and is a very fast young horse.

The Lewiston Driving Club royally entertained the visitors from the Kennebec valley. They are whole-hearted sports, know how to do the right things, and whom to get to do the honors. Charles Dorrithy, the popular starter, took the visitors in hand, piloted us to the New DeWitt for dinner, where Mine Host Pattee, president of the Lewiston and Auburn Driving Club, supplied the hungry with a sumptuous dinner. No club was ever more handsomely treated than the members of the Kennebec Central Driving Club were by the Lewiston and Auburn Driving Club.

Horsemen of note from all over Maine, several from Massachusetts and other states, witnessed the sport. The time does not appear to be fast, but the track was far from fast and they raced against the wind. One week from next Thursday their horses will meet ours over the Hallowell course. The summaries:

FREE-FOR-ALL—ONE-THIRD MILE—3 IN 5

Trixey S., 2 16 1-4, b m, by Stirling, Perkins .......... 1 1 2 2 1
Arius, 2 16 1-4, b g, by Garnet Wilkes, Russell and Hayden 2 2 1 1 2
Time—45, 45 3-4, 51, 44, 44 1-4.

2 24 CLASS—ONE-THIRD MILES—3 IN 5

Rattler G., 2 23 1-4, b g, Waite .... 1 1 1
Nelsonita, ch m, 2 23 1-4, Anderson 2 2 2
Time—45, 45 1-2, 46.

MINUTE TROT—ONE-THIRD MILE—3 IN 5

El Capitan, b g, by Alavolo, 2 25 1-4, Hayden .... 2 1 1 1
Prince Gothard, b g, Anderson 1 2 2 2
Time—46 1-4, 54 1-4, 48 1-4, 48

2 40 PACE—ONE-THIRD MILE—3 IN 5

Bayard M., blk g, by Colna Dona, Webb .... 1 2 1 1
Charlie Herr, Jr., br g, by Charlie Herr, 2 07 1-2, Hayden and Bonnallie .... 2 1 . .
Time—49, 46, 51 1-2, 48.

## SONDER RACE WILL COMMENCE AUG. 30.

Boston, Feb. 12—The principal incentives for the German-American sonder yacht races during the coming summer off Marblehead, outside the desire for good sport will be for cups given under the auspices of President Taft and Governor Draper, the former going to the winner and the latter to the second best boat, according to the conditions issued today by the Kaiserlicher Yacht Club of Kiel and the Eastern Yacht Club of this city.

The international races will begin on Aug. 30 and the American trial races two weeks earlier, the entries for the latter event closing on July 17 with Henry Howard, chairman of the race committee at 33 Broad street, Boston.

The conditions governing the international and trial races this year are practically the same as those which obtained at Kiel in 1907 and at Marblehead in 1906, although a few rules have been made a trifle more stringent. American yachts will be restricted in cost to $2400 and the crew must be made up of amateurs of yacht clubs which are admitted to the trial races. All the yachtsmen must be citizens of the country in which the yacht was built. The Sonder yachts this year will be somewhat stronger in construction but the weights and the sail area remain the same, 4035 pounds for the former and 550 square feet for the latter.

The President Taft cup is this year's successor of the Roosevelt cup of 1906 and the Emperor's cup of 1907. It will be awarded to the yacht which first wins three races, or wins the fifth race of the series. The Governor Draper cup will be awarded on points to the second best boat.

The German yachtsmen are expected at Marblehead about August 1, and it is possible a German warship may also be in these waters during the races but no member of the Imperial family is expected.

## JOHNSON DECLARES WAR AGAINST MURPHY.

Chicago, Feb. 12—"The time has come to eliminate Charles W. Murphy from baseball. I believe that when a manager is prejudicial to the best interests of the national game he should be removed from that game. The National commission has a rod in pickle for Mr Murphy and will hand it to him next Tuesday or Wednesday. When the full details are printed as to the nature and reasons for the commission's action, the baseball world will understand the whole situation and will, I think, agree with me that the evils now in existence must be corrected without delay."

## LAMY IS IT.

### Wins All the Championship Events at Newburgh, N. Y.

Newburgh, N. Y., Feb. 12—The Eastern skating championships were held this afternoon. Orange states and Canada competed. The races were run off under the auspices of the Newburgh Wheelmen on a quarter of mile track. The ice was in perfect condition and the weather so pleasant that several thousand persons saw the races. Summary:

Quarter-mile championship, Edmund Lamy, Saranac Lake first; O. B. Bush, Canada, second; W. Sulphin, Saratoga, third. Time 40½. Bush the one armed skater was right on Lamy's heels at the finish.

Half-mile championship, final heat, Edmund Lamy, Saranac, first; Clarence Granger, Wanderer Skating Club second, Joseph Miller, N. Y. A. C., third. Time 1 28 2-5.

The novice was won by Fred Wheeler, Orange in 3.19 2-5. C. E. Masters, Albany, second; T. A. Tracy, Clifton, N. J., third.

The final heat of the one-mile championship. Lamy beat out Bush, in a desperate finish in which the champion outsprinted Bush. Joseph Miller, N. Y. A. C., was third. Time 3 minutes.

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## BOXING NOTES.

Abe Attell's manager announced at Dayton, Ohio, Thursday night that the California fighter had been matched to meet Jem Driscoll, the English champion, in New York on either the 18th or the 19th of this month. The fight will be pulled off before the Fairmount Club if on the former date and before the National if on the latter. Driscoll will sail for England on the 20th instant.

Plans have been practically completed for a match between Battling Nelson, the lightweight champion, and "Fighting Dick" Hyland. Hyland is willing to box 45 rounds and to make 135 pounds ringside, so there will be no difficulty in coming to terms. In expectation of securing the match Hyland will not accept the challenge to fight George Memsic in Los Angeles.

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# STATE HOUSE.

## Holiday Observed in the Various Departments.

## Governor Fernald Speaks at Lincoln Club Banquet.

### Moving Picture Legislation Introduced in House and Senate.

The State House presented a very deserted appearance Friday Not only had most of the legislators gone to their homes except those particularly interested in the Lincoln day celebration at City hall under the direction of the special legislative committee, but the day was also observed in most of the departments of the State House as a partial holiday at least. In the forenoon, while someone could be found in most of the departments the greater part of them did whatever work was done behind closed doors, and most of this work was only in the nature of catching up with work that had been previously neglected In the afternoon nearly all of the departments were practically deserted

Governor Fernald went to Portland Friday, and was one of the speakers at the Lincoln Club banquet in that city Friday evening President Deasy of the Senate and Speaker Weeks of the House remained in Augusta, as they were among the speakers scheduled at the Lincoln day celebration at City hall.

Four acts presented by Representative Paul of Naples are causing the moving picture interests a great deal of concern Should these acts be passed they would undoubtedly greatly injure this line of business Two of the acts would limit the length of films to 10 minutes, and this would cut out a great many of the dramatic and scenic pictures now shown. The other two acts prohibit the admission of minors to a moving picture show except on the written permission of parents or guardians. These two acts would greatly curtail the audiences at matinee performances, where a large percentage of those in attendance are minors These bills were presented in the House Thursday and were tabled for printing by Mr Rounds of Portland, pending reference to a committee

In the Senate an act prohibiting the exhibit of moving pictures in any city or town without a license has been presented by Senator Macomber of Kennebec. This act has been referred to the committee on commercial affairs and insurance and its text is as follows.

An Act prohibiting the exhibit of moving pictures in any city or town without a license

Section 1 Whoever, for money or other valuable article, exhibits moving pictures of any kind in any city or town shall first obtain a license from the municipal officers of the city or town, where such pictures are exhibited, and shall pay therefor such sum as the municipal officers shall deem proper. Any person exhibiting moving pictures without such license, shall be fined $10 for each day such pictures are so exhibited

The following corporations have filed their certificate of organization at the office of the Secretary of State:

Santa Maria Gold Mining Co., organized at Portland for the purpose of carrying on a general mining business with $3,000,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The Officers are, President, T L. Croteau of Portland, Treasurer, Albert F. Jones of Portland Certificate filed Feb 11, 1909.

Innachuk Dredging & Power Co organized at Portland for the purpose of carrying on a general mining business with $1,450,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The Officers are President, Clarence E Eaton of Portland; Treasurer, T L Croteau of Portland Certificate filed Feb. 11, 1909.

Dressler Graphonlon Co organized at Portland for the purpose of dealing in moving picture machines and apparatus with $1,200,000 capital stock, of which nothing is paid in The Officers are President Clarence E Eaton of Portland, Treasurer, T L Croteau of Portland Certificate filed Feb 9, 1909

The Gold Hill Consolidated Co organized at Portland for the purpose of carrying on a general mining business with $5,000,000 capital stock of which $100 is paid in. The Officers are, President Millard W Baldwin of Portland Treasurer, Ernest M. White of Portland. Certificate filed Feb, 9 1909.

McKenney Patent Co organized at Portland for the purpose of dealing in moving picture machines and photographic films with $5,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The Officers are President, Clarence E Eaton of Portland; Treasurer, T L Croteau of Portland Certificate filed Feb. 10, 1909

Universal Films and Projecting Co organized at Portland for the purpose of dealing in moving picture machines and photographic films with $200,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The officers are, President, Clarence E. Eaton of Portland, Treasurer, T L. Croteau of Portland. Certificate filed Feb. 9, 1909

Gangborn Hygienic Manufacturing Co organized at Portland for the purpose of dealing in machines for vending medicated or other paper with $150,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The Officers are President, Clarence E Eaton, of Portland, Treasurer, T L Croteau of Portland Certificate filed Feb 9, 1909.

International Projecting & Producing Co organized at Portland for the purpose of dealing in moving picture machines and photographic films with $5,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The Officers are President, Clarence E Eaton of Portland; Treasurer, T L Croteau of Portland. Certificate filed Feb 9, 1909.

Utah Lead Mining Co organized at Portland for the purpose of operating lead copper, gold and silver mines with $1,500,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The Officers are President, Clarence E Eaton of Portland; Treasurer, T L Croteau of Portland Certificate filed Feb. 9, 1909

Manhattan Exploration Co organized at Augusta for the purpose of operating and dealing in mines and quarries with $2,000,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The Officers are President and Treasurer, I S Kearney of Augusta Certificate filed Feb 8, 1909

American Sumatra Co. organized at Portland for the purpose of dealing in cigars cigarettes and all other forms of tobacco with $500,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The Officers are President, Clarence E Eaton of Portland, Treasurer, T L Croteau of Portland Certificate filed Feb 6, 1909

Richmond Electric Co, organized at Richmond, for the purpose of supplying gas or electricity in the towns of Richmond and Bowdoinham, with $10,000 capital stock of which $180 is paid in The Officers are President, Charles D Newell of Richmond Treasurer, Henry E Houdlett of Richmond Certificate filed, Feb 11, 1909.

Holden-Leonard Co, organized at Augusta for the purpose of the manufacture of cloth of all kinds, with $1,000,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The officers are President, Charles W Leonard of West Newton, Mass., Treasurer, Arthur J Holden of Bennington, Vt. Certificate filed, Feb 10, 1909

North Alaska Railway Co, organized at Augusta for the purpose of operating railroads for public service, with $500,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in. The officers are President and Treasurer, J Berry of Portland Certificate filed Feb 6, 1909

Kensington Flower Shop, Inc., organized at Kittery for the purpose of dealing in flowers, plants and nursery products, with $10,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The officers are President, Horace Mitchell of Kittery, treasurer, S J Merrison of Portsmouth, N H. Certificate filed, Feb 9, 1909

Coleridge Mines & Lumber Co, organized at Portland for the purpose of carrying on a general mining and lumbering business, with $200,000 capital stock of which $100 is paid in. The officers are President, C E McGlauflin of Portland, Treasurer, Arthur Chapman of Portland Certificate filed, Feb 11, 1909

Public Grocery Co., organized at Biddeford for the purpose of carrying on a general retail grocery business, with $10,000 capital stock of which $125 is paid in The officers are President, John B Morin of Biddeford, treasurer, Joseph H Senneville of Manchester, N H. Certificate filed, Feb 9, 1909.

The F. F. Beauregard Co, organized at Biddeford for the purpose of carrying on a general retail and wholesale grocery business, with $10,000 capital stock of which $10,000 is paid in. The officers are President, Selende E. Beauregard of Biddeford, treasurer, Frederic F. Beauregard of Biddeford Certificate filed, Feb 8, 1909

M. J. E. McDonald Mercantile Co, organized at Portland for the purpose of conducting a general store and livery stable, with $10,000 capital stock of which $30 is paid in The officers are; President and treasurer, W G McDonald of Portland. Certificate filed, Feb 8, 1909.

Central Cotton Oil Co, organized at Portland for the purpose of operating cotton crude oil plants, with $100,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in. The officers are: President and treasurer, Clarence E Eaton of Portland. Certificate filed, Feb 11, 1909.

Neal D. Smith Co., organized at Portland for the purpose of carrying on a general mercantile business, with $100,000 capital stock of which nothing is paid in The officers are President and treasurer, Neal D Smith of Portland. Certificate filed, Feb 11, 1909.

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### TEA AND ASSEMBLY.

#### Two Social Events Friday for Bowdoin Boys and Friends.

Brunswick, Me., Feb 12.—(Special)—The second college tea in the series of three was held this afternoon in Hubbard hall and proved as usual to be a complete social success. This tea was devoted especially to out-of-town guests Refreshments were served, the tables being presided over by ladies of the faculty One more tea will be held in the near future and will also be devoted to out-of-town guests

The second and final Junior assembly of the year was held in the evening in Memorial hall and proved one of the most enjoyable dances ever given at Bowdoin A large number of young ladies were present from many cities and towns of Maine and several from out of the State The hall was artistically decorated The music was by Kendall's Orchestra The following were the young ladies present

Alice Garland, Augusta; Theresa Newbert, Augusta, Janet Peters, Portland, Margaret Starbird, Portland, Ethel McConley, Portland, Margaret Southerland, Brunswick; Olivia Dunn, Lewiston, Leona Curtis, Portland. Christine Kennison, Waterville. Agnes Green, Portland, Josephine B Forhan, Portland, Evelyn Winship, Auburn, Viola Dixon, Freeport Agnes Campbell, Mechanic Falls, Mrs Clyde E. Richardson, Lisbon Falls; Helen Crosby, Bath, Adelaide Mitchell, Portland; Marie M Hanson, Portland; Emily Felt, Brunswick, Alice Kelsey, Freeport, Pauline Litchfield Lewiston, Eleanor Leydon, Bath, Dorothy Duncan. Bath: Helen Channing, Albany, N Y; Sarah Williams, Albany, N Y Marion Drew, Brunswick, Dorothy Johnson, Brunswick, Martha Simmons, Rockland, Marguerite Goodman, Bath; Madeline Clifford, Bath, Gladys Mahar, Topsham, Clara Bailey, Machias, Florence Marsh, Dixfield; Mrs Gladys M Smith, Woodfords, Beatrice Henley, Brunswick, Ruth Davenport, Boston, Elizabeth Lee, Brunswick, Helen F Estill, Colorado Springs, Col, Genevieve Dwinal, Auburn, Dorothy Clay, Portland, Florence Coffey, Portland, Mabel Estes, Portland Mildred Files, Brunswick, Lynette Parsons, Bangor, Frances Little, Brunswick, Rose Tyler, Portland, Frances Skofield, Brunswick. Beatrice Hacker, Brunswick, Marguerite Hudkins, Brunswick

### BOWDOIN'S TRIBUTE.

#### Oration, Poem and Music Before the Student Body.

Brunswick, Me., Feb 12—(Special).—Exercises in honor of the Lincoln centennary were held this morning in Memorial hall at Bowdoin College in the presence of the entire student body and a large number of Brunswick people An able address was delivered by Prof Wilmot B Mitchell and an original poem was read by Prof K C M Sills The oration was the same as was delivered in the evening at Augusta Music, appropriate to the exercises, was rendered by the Bowdoin College Glee Club, under the leadership of Philip H. Brown of Watertown, N Y

Two men were killed and one so badly injured that he may die, by an explosion in the McAdoo tunnel along the Hudson river at Jersey City Friday The accident is supposed to have been the result of a premature blast

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### THE FOURTH CANDIDATE.

#### Asher C. Hinds Willing to Succeed Representative Allen.

Portland, Me., Feb. 12—The Express tonight made the following announcement of a fourth candidate for congressman from the First Maine district to succeed Representative Allen in 1911 Asher C Hinds, parliamentarian to the National House of Representatives, will accept the nomination for member of Congress from the 1st Maine District, if it is the desire of the Republicans of Cumberland and York counties that he serve in that capacity. This statement is given out today by one of Mr Hind's friends in this city, and is believed to be authentic

### MAY BUY NEW HOME.

#### Court Decision Upholds Officers of Boston Lodge of Elks.

Boston, Feb 12—The officers of the Boston Lodge of Elks are permitted to purchase a new headquarters at an expenditure of $160,000 under a decision handed down today by the full bench of the Massachusetts supreme court.

The lodge had voted to purchase Jacob Sleeper hall on Somerset street from Boston University for $160,000, giving as $60,000 of the payment the present headquarters of the Elks on Columbus avenue.

Some members of the lodge filed a bill in the superior court requesting that the officers of the lodge and the Boston University officials be enjoined from carrying out this transaction, the petitioners alleging that under the bylaws of the lodge a four-fifths vote was necessary on all appropriations exceeding $50 and claiming that there was not a four-fifths vote in this case

The officers of the lodge filed a demurrer which the supreme court today sustained. In brief the court finds that the rule requiring a four-fifths vote on appropriations applies only to the payment of benefits in the order.

### CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Disappointed because his ward club failed Thursday night to endorse him for re-nomination, Alderman Joseph F. Kohout, long a Democratic leader in the Chicago city council, committed suicide Friday by shooting himself in the head at his home. He was a lawyer and about 50 years of age

The sum of $15,000 is bequeathed to the Margaret Pillsbury hospital at Concord N H., by the will of Mrs. Isabel M Fowler of Boston, filed Friday for probate. The income is to be devoted to the care of women and girls who would otherwise be unable to avail themselves of hospital treatment.

During the negotiations for the purchase of a site for the new $20,000,000 passenger station at Chicago for the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, it was discovered that part of the land desired was owned apparently by one "Tim" Sullivan, who could not be found. As the lack of a clear title would have proved a serious obstacle to the construction of the new building, search was made for Sullivan all over the country. Recently it was learned that Sullivan had died at Lynn, Mass., and efforts were made to locate his heirs. Now a woman who says she is Sullivan's widow announces at Lynn that she will claim the property, which is valued at $250,000.

### TRAIN STRIKES STREET CAR.

#### Blizzard Obstructs Motorman's View—Six Persons Escape.

Hammond, Ind., February 12—A west-bound Wabash freight crashed into a Sixty-third-street Hammond street car at Hohman street in Hammond The car was knocked off the track and demolished. Six passengers were in the car. John Horley was injured, but not fatally. The blizzard obstructed the view of the motorman

# AID FOR LIBERIA.

## Plan for Help for the Negro Republic.

## This Government Asked to Name a Commission.

### Majority of Liberians Are Descended from American Negroes.

Washington, D C., Feb 12—Earnest efforts are being made by the administration to secure the appropriation of $20,000 for the expenses of a commission to go to Liberia to make recommendations as to what specific action on the part of the government is desirable that will most aptly render effective relief to that Republic under the present critical circumstances. The necessity for this already has been set forth in a letter which President Roosevelt sent to Congress three weeks ago transmitting a report on the subject from Secretary Root. Supplemental to this is a communication received by Representative Edwin Denby of the Foreign Affairs Committee from Assistant Secretary of State O'Laughlin presenting additional reasons why the appropriation for the commission's work should be made

This letter says that of the forty or fifty thousand Liberians, the majority are descendents of American Negroes and it is the duty of the United States at least to give the people an opportunity to continue to govern themselves not only because of the great humanitarian principle involved but because such action, in some slight degree "will be an atonement for the brutal and horrible practices inseparable from the slave trade, by which Americans at first benefited and which this government subsequently took measures to suppress" Conditions in Liberia are thus set out: "In connection with the present conditions existing in Liberia Consular reports speak of the magnificent agricultural possibilities of the country. Unfortunately the means of communication are practically nonexistent, there being only five or six cart roads in the entire republic, and horses and mules do not live The aborigines are not a troublesome people. They are kept in a state of peace and loyalty by gifts, etc., from the government and produce absolutely nothing beyond their own food. For commercial purposes the whole of Liberia may be looked upon as a strip of coast-land of varying width as the penetration of rivers assists communication, but rarely exceeds thirty or forty miles The Liberian people are generally very shiftless, very poor, and constantly pressed in upon by their French and British neighbors The country is absolutely undeveloped as to its rich hinterland

"A comparison of Liberia with the British colony of Sierra Leone, founded under exactly the same conditions and having the same character of hinterland, establishes that the territory of the republic is rich in possibilities. It would be unfortunate for American prestige if we were to fail at least to give once more some real assistance to the republic."

The State Department is very anxious that the appropriation be made promptly in order that the commission may reach Liberia before the rainy season starts in The success of Liberia in self government would, the letter argues, give hope and courage while its failure would bring discouragement to the entire black race If action be not taken, there is no doubt that Liberia will not be able to maintain itself much longer; and it would seem that the inhabitants ought to have at least another trial, with some direction from men developed in civilization, before being extinguished as a nationality, and placing upon their race the opprobrium of being unfit to govern themselves

### DOVER AND FOXCROFT.

#### Service Commemorating Lincoln's Birthday—Personals.

Dover, Me., Feb 12.—(Special)—The schools of the two towns were closed Lincoln's birthday

The community is much saddened to hear of the death of John Russell, which occurred Thursday morning He had been in ill health for a number of years A daughter survives.

J W Ham of Guilford was in town Friday

Friday afternoon in the Congregational church, commemorating Lincoln's birthday, the following program was given Singing, "Keller's American Hymn," Quartet and audience; Invocation, Rev. A Gertrude Earle, music, quartet; "Life and Character of Lincoln," Hon. W. C. Parsons; solo, Ernest Hill; "The Emancipation Proclamation," Col J. B Parks; solo, Miss Helen Paine; "Lincoln's Address at Gettysburg and Personal Recollections," Hon. W. Cushing; solo, Miss Florence Paine; remarks by Judge C W Hayes, Dea. L P. Evans and others, music, quartet; singing of "America" by audience

Mayo & Son's mill began Monday to run overtime.

Rev A Gertrude Earle was in Bangor last week attending the lectures at the Theological Seminary.

Allen A. Dinsmore has purchased the house lots on lower Main street opposite his residence

The Cosmopolitan Club met with Miss Sarah Hughes Thursday afternoon The following program was given: Roll call, quotations from Goethe, Rev A. Gertrude Earle read a very interesting and instructive paper on "The Life and Works of Goethe," including the story of the drama "Faust." The following musical numbers were given: "The Earl King," Schubert, sung in German by Miss Alice Gardiner; "The Flower Song," from "Faust" was given as a violin solo by Miss Vera Carle; "The Jewel Song," from "Faust," was sung by Miss Helen Paine; piano duet by Misses Cole and Day Mrs Walter Mayo and Miss Alice Ham acted as accompanists Russian tea, wafers and assorted confections were served.

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# NOT COMPETENT.

## Congress Incapable of Fixing Just Tariff Schedule

## According to Andrew Carnegie's Statement.

### The Average Congressman Lacks Trained Knowledge of Subject.

New York, Feb 12—Andrew Carnegie today declared that Congress is incapable of fixing a just tariff schedule and that a permanent bi-partisan commission of experts is the only solution of the ever-troublesome tariff problem Mr Carnegie urged that all manufacturers of the country attend the National Tariff Commission convention which will assemble at Indianapolis Feb 16 He also asserted that the average congressman, as a rule, is unequipped by training or knowledge to deal fairly and understandingly with such an abstruse proposition as tariff Mr. Carnegie's views were made known at his residence to a representative of the American Industries, the official publication of the National Association of Manufacturers He said

"The difficulty with tariff commissions or regulators composed of members of Congress, is that these gentlemen are necessarily uninformed on the true conditions of the varied industries. Evidence given by the interested parties cannot be depended upon as disinterested

"Congressmen hearing evidence on the technical points of an industry are not familiar with the language They cannot understand the bearing of the testimony given.

"Another misfortune is that congressional tariff committees get no trustworthy evidence upon conditions in other countries, and before men can legislate wisely they must be informed upon the relative conditions of both domestic and foreign manufacturers

"There should be a permanent staff of able, disinterested men, charged with studying conditions in all manufacturing countries. The industrial world is about to undergo the most momentous change known in its history, even more far-reaching than was the change from the individual domestic manufacturer, manufacturing at home, to the factory system and the huge establishments of today We are rapidly losing competition in articles of general consumption upon which nations have hitherto depended to insure reasonable prices for the consumer Some of our most important industries today are only nominally competitive and in reality are monopolies so far as an understanding exists as to prices that will prevail.

"These virtual monopolies must be controlled in some way or another A supreme industrial court will have to be created, and eventually will have to pass upon prices—disguise this as we may This is even a larger question than the tariff, but our trouble with revisions of the tariff will be greatly overcome by a body of experts, keeping themselves fully informed of all matters pertaining to the question The industrial court may make mistakes as our interstate commission may, but both will gradually create traditions and make decisions which will be guides for the future It would be well for our captains of industry to attend the forthcoming convention and get a true understanding of the problem involved that they may be prepared to pass upon the suggested remedies"

### KENNEBEC.

#### LITCHFIELD.

PLAINS—Libby Relief Corps held a quilting at Masonic hall Friday, the G A R furnishing an Oyster dinner.

Mrs Sara Rogers is ill at J. A. Chase's

Preparations are being made for the dramatic entertainment under the auspices of Libby Post, G A. R., at Stewart's hall Wednesday evening, Feb 17, consisting of the three-act drama, entitled "Brother Josiah," with the following cast of characters: Josiah Armstrong, wealthy farmer, E O. Tarr; Wellington Armstrong, broker, C M White, Benjamin Armstrong, Josiah's son, A. O Lancaster; William LeBlanc, broker, Wm. Dingley; Henry Newcomb, an author, Everett Libby, Hiram Penstroke, confidential man, Ray Small; James Armstrong Butler, Charles Hamilton; Mrs Wellington Armstrong, Lou Skillins, Jemima, wife of Josiah, Eva Libby, Gladys Armstrong, Hannie Curtis; Edith LeBlanc, Isabel Randall

#### Dr. G. W. Way of Portland.

Portland, Me., Feb 12—Dr George W Way, secretary of the Megantic Fish and Game association and a well-known physician, died tonight of meningitis He was born in Sutton, Vt., and was 52 years old

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Saturday, February 13, 1909.

# LOCAL BRIEFS

Roast Chicken dinner at Fred M. Hayes' Bridge street restaurant Sunday.

Mrs. D. H. Verrill of Wilton who has been the guest of Mrs. L. T. Dickson, returned home Friday.

Charles E. Downing and E. H. Beale were in Belgrade yesterday on a short business trip.

Samuel Beaton, brakeman in the Augusta freight yard of the Maine Central, is reported to be confined to his home on Sewall street by illness.

Messina and its ruins since the earthquake will be shown by colored stereopticon views at the Penney Memorial Church Sunday evening

Among the intentions of marriage which have been recorded at the office of the city clerk this week are those of William B. Hill and Lucy A. Mathieu, both of Augusta.

Rev George Williams, Evangelist from Manchester, N. H., will preach at the Gospel Mission tonight. Special invitation for Christian workers and non-church-goers.

Choice cut flowers, roses, pinks, violets, etc., in abundance at O. P. Robbins & Sons' greenhouse. All at reasonable prices. A good place to telephone orders to. Prompt service.

The members of the Cony High basketball team left on train No. 1 yesterday morning for Old town, where they played a team representing the Old Town High school in the evening

W P Foley left on train 102 yesterday afternoon for Boston, called there by the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs Thomas Foley, whose funeral will be held in that city today.

The members of Manchester Grange will give a social dance at the Grange hall in that town this evening, and cars will leave the hall for Augusta and Winthrop after the dance.

The second and last of the Legislative assemblies will be held at the Augusta House on Tuesday evening, Feb. 23, and it is expected that the attendance will be equally as large as that of Thursday evening

Samuel Cony Manley lost his thoroughbred cocker spaniel, "Foxa," Friday morning through the animal being run over on Stone street by the Togus car. The dog was a valuable one and a great pet with his master

Hon Rodney Thompson, mayor of the city of Rockland, was in the city Friday on business matters and was the guest of City Clerk E. E. Newbert for a portion of the time. The two gentlemen have been friends since boyhood.

The Apollo player piano at Melville Smith's Music Hall is proving a favorite. One sale in Gardiner last week and one in this city this week are "straws" that show the buying tendency of music lovers.

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Capt. Robert Westman of the steamer Islander was in the city yesterday for the first time in several months, having just got out of doors after returning home from the hospital. Capt. Westman is still weak but is improving and expects to be able to take charge when the work of getting the steamer ready for summer begins.

By a vote of the Augusta Board of Education permission has been given the graduating class of the Cony High school to make a trip to Washington, D. C., during the spring vacation, if they choose to do so instead of having the usual commencement exercises in June The permission is granted however on condition that at least half of the members of the class decide in preference to the Washington trip The graduating class this year numbers about 20 members, and it is understood that 12 have thus far signified their intention of making the trip.

## LOCAL NOTICE.

The Progressive Spiritualist Society will hold meetings in G. A. R. hall, 222 Water street, Sunday Feb. 14, at 2.30 and 7.30 P M, Wellman C. Whitney of Springfield, Mass, the speaker and message bearer. Music at 2.30 by Prof. Thieme and Mrs. Dennis Public invited. feb13d1t

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# Amusements

## "45 Minutes From Broadway," Monday.

George M. Cohan has given the stage an entirely new type of theatrical offering It is rather well exemplified in "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway," which Cohan & Harris will present at the Opera House Monday night featuring Scott Welsh in the role of "Kid Burns," and Frances Gordon as "Mary" together with the original cast and production. The proper term would seem to be a "musical drama," for it is a type of a piece which has a well defined plot whose unfolding not only holds the interest of the theatregoer, but reveals surprise after surprise. It is logical and convincing, and while the interpolated musical numbers scored a deserved success, one feels that they are not essential to the success of the piece. So entertaining and interesting is the story itself that one could well dispense with the musical part of the play Yet these musical numbers are possessed of such tunefulness and wit that the playgoer who has once heard them is never content on a second visit to "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway" (and it is an axiom of the Cohan & Harris office, that once a theatregoer has seen the Cohan piece, he invariably returns the second or third time), to have even a bar or note left out or passed over The seats are now on sale, five hundred of the best lower floor seats at $1 00.

## Special Car to Waterville.

People living near the car line will have chance to see "Forty-Five Minutes from Broadway" Manager Cuddy of the Opera House has arranged with the Electric road company to have a car run from Augusta to Waterville at the close of the performance of "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway" Monday February 15. This will give the people living near the car line in Riverside and Vassalboro as well as Waterville people an opportunity to attend the theatre and return home without the slightest inconvenience. Only the regular fares will be charged on the special car.

## At Opera House.

The Opera house should be packed both afternoon and evening today, as the Three Durands will make their final appearance here. The act consists of two men and a woman and their work is of the very highest quality. Besides the Three Durands there are four excellent new moving picture subjects introducing some fine comedy and interesting dramatic situations, Master Ernest Williams with his new illustrated ballad is a very important feature. The present program ranks as one of the best yet offered.

## At the Star.

A fine program at the Star theatre for today comprises 6 subjects. The pictures are "At the Stage Door," "Artistic Rag Pickers," "When the Cat's Away," "He is a Jolly Good Fellow," "A Child's Prayer," "A Gamble Woman." "The Travelettes on Panama" is a strong feature of the bill. The slides are handsomely colored The song "Plain Little Soldier Man," is pleasingly rendered. Last night was orchestra night and they played to a full house.

## The Merry Geisha and the Carnival of All Nations.

A grand spectacle will be the verdict of everyone who witnesses the approaching Japanese Carnival, which will be presented that 17, 18 and 19 at City hall. The stage, which will be extended 15 feet to accommodate the many participants will be decked in cherry blossoms, lanterns, flags and banners, representing the "Festival of the Harvest Moon" when all the vast empire of Japan lay aside all cares and hold high carnival amidst vast demonstrations of mirth, melody and song Nightly will be presented on the stage a Japanese opera, interspersed with befitting and unique specialties, which calls many participants.

The Drum Major of the Gallant U S. A., numbering 16 of Augusta's prettiest girls, with beautiful costumes, will capture all who are fortunate enough to witness the "Merry Geisha." They will arrive on the Enchanted Island of Dreams just in time to witness the festivities enacted in honor of Flu Fu's announcement of his betrothal and the commemorating the Harvest Moon Festival The Mexican Fandango, with the bewitching senoritas and toreadors, depict this Spanish love dance in a way most alluring and with the soft mellow lights, the jingle of tambourine and elegant costumes certainly will be a surprise to the many friends of the dancers Then the Moon Votaries in their quaint supplication to the "Goddess of night" in which Little Sang Foy, the prima donna, pleads to that luminary of the Heavens to invoke her aid and blessing on her sweetheart Carl, and stay the execution, in which she innocently has gotten him.

Remember the date and secure tickets early.

## Men's Club Entertainment.

The Men's Club of the Universalist Church has arranged for a very fine musical and literary entertainment to be given in the vestry of the church on Wednesday evening February 24 The primary purpose of the entertainment is not financial gain but to afford to the members of the club and to all others a most delightful evening. Four persons will appear upon the program Mr. Walter Eccles of Boston is the reader, impersonator and humorist. He has few superiors in his line of work in New England The musical part of the program will be given by the Misses Stetson and Miss Ridley of Brunswick. Miss Ridley is the pianist and accompanist. Miss Aimee Stetson plays the violin and Miss Evelyn Stetson the cello. During the evening a vocal solo will be given by Miss Evelyn Stetson and a violin solo by Miss Aimee Stetson. It is the plan of the Club to make this one of the brightest features of the winter in Augusta.

Augusta horsemen were out in force yesterday to attend the Lewiston races, some of them going over on the morning train and others on the trolley car which left this city for Lewiston at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, among the latter being W. S Malcolm, H. M Springer, J. M. Nichols, H. H. Lee, F. R. Wellman, Oscar Anderson, W. E. Hanks, S. T. Silkey, G. W. Wadleigh and F. D. Perkins.

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| Baker's Chocolate—per ½ lb. cake | 18c. |
| Hooten's Cocoa—per can. | 18c |
| Hooten's Chocolate—per cake | 18c. |
| Chase and Sanborn's—Hunkee Chop Tea, per lb | 39c |
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| 1 lb. cans White House—Coffee, per lb | 25c. |
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| 1 can Corn | 4c. | 1 can Corn | 10c. |
| 1 can String Beans | 4c. | 1 can String Beans | 10c. |
| 1 lb. Tea | 39c. | 1 lb. Tea | 50c. |
| 1 bar Ivory Soap | 2c. | 1 bar Ivory Soap | 5c. |
| 1 lb. Soda | 2c. | 1 lb Soda | 5c. |
| 1 pkg Quaker Oats | 5c | 1 pkg Quaker Oats | 10c. |
| 1 bar Sand Soap | 2c. | 1 bar Sand Soap | 5c |
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## LOCAL MATTERS.

Remember that the ladies of Green Street church will hold a Food sale in Merrill Bros' store this afternoon

Marston's cafe will be as usual a great center on Sunday for lovers of a good chicken dinner

Warren D Trask has gone to Mercer, Wis., where he has a fine position as teacher in the Keenahn Academy.

H G Barker has returned from his New York trip. The result is a showing of spring styles, particularly of stylish hats.

The tickets for the supper to be given by the Roger Williams Club at the Vestry of the First Baptist church tonight, have all been sold.

The Trinity Quartet will sing at the Twilight Vesper service (4 30) at the Unitarian church. Dean Fenn of Harvard will preach the sermon.

Tickets for supper at Grand Army hall from 5 to 7 tonight are 35 cents They can be secured from C. E. Marston, at E E Davis' or at the door

At the Congregational church tomorrow, in connection with the morning service, there will be an address on Lincoln by Hon. H M. Heath of this city.

Frank E. Chase of this city will have charge of the Rich Ice plant for the American Ice Co., and would like to secure at once a large number of teams for planing and scraping

Mrs. Elisha Powers of Houlton is among the Aroostook county ladies who is enjoying a portion of the Legislative season in Augusta, and will remain until after the Governor's reception next week

Quartet music and solos at Penney Memorial church Sunday night. Miss Kearney, Miss Catherine Currier, Mr. Stone and Mr MacNichol with Miss Helen Brown as organist will compose the quartet. Solos by Miss Kearney and Miss Currier

Harry P. Folsom of this city has returned from a visit to Portland where he went Wednesday to attend the coming out party of his niece, Miss Marguerite Ricker, given by her mother, Mrs. Hiram W. Ricker, at her home on Deering street that evening

J. A. Shaw, who had been operating a portable sawmill in the eastern part of the city, moved the same Thursday afternoon to a woodlot in North Augusta and will now conduct operations at that point

Hon. Edgard Wiggin of Presque Isle, who is spending a portion of the winter in Augusta, left yesterday morning for Fairfield Center, where he went for the purpose of attending an all-day meeting of Victor Grange, and before which organization in the afternoon he delivered an address on Lincoln.

The following program will be given tomorrow evening at the Green street Methodist church: organ voluntary; processional, "On the Mountain Top; Apostles creed; prayer, Hon. Eugene Allen, anthem, vested choir; responsive reading; hymn, "Watchman;" address, Hon Ira G Hersey of Houlton, America.

The regular weekly rehearsal of the Augusta Chorus will be held Monday evening, Feb. 15, next week, instead of Tuesday evening, on account of the Governor's reception at City hall, which comes on the later evening. All members of the chorus are requested to be present at the Penney Memorial church Monday evening at 7.30.

Lincoln stamps, especially issued to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the birth of the martyred President, are now on sale at the Augusta postoffice and will be sold as long as the supply lasts. These stamps are of the two-cent denomination and of about the same color as the two-cent stamps of the regular issue. They bear the profile of Lincoln facing the right, and under it the dates, "1809 Feb 12, 1909."

Winthrop street Universalist church. Rev Leroy W. Coons, minister. Morning worship at 10.30. Sermon by the minister upon "The Great Sin of our Age." This will be an examination and analysis of the social and commercial conditions of our day. Sunday school at 12 M. Classes now for all ages. A new kindergarten department has been formed under the teaching of Miss Moran of the public kindergarten and Mrs F H Burgess The Y P. C. U devotional meeting at 6 30 P M Miss Addie Bunker, leader The Men's Club will meet Monday evening with J W Beck, 5 Cumner street

In addition of the portraits of ex-mayors of the city which adorn the walls of the mayor's office in the City building Mayor Plaisted has been very fortunate in securing other portraits which he is now having framed and which will soon be ready for hanging with the others, so that when the work on these is done the list will only lack five portraits of being complete. The portraits now being framed include that of Gen Alfred Redington, Augusta's first mayor, whose term was from 1850-51, John A Pettengill, 1852-53, Joseph W Patterson, 1855-65-67, Albert G. Dole, 1856-57; William T Johnson, 1863, Joseph J. Eveleth, 1871-72, and Alden W Philbrook, 1885

The attention of fishermen for the past few days has been attracted by what appeared to be some of the biggest pickerel that have yet been brought into the Augusta market. The fish were in a box at William Young's market and were "whales" of their kind. The largest of the lot exceeded an even five pounds, while another was but a quarter of a pound lighter, and it is doubtful if there is a fish in the box that would weigh less than three pounds. The markings on the fish were somewhat different from those on our native pickerel, but the head was the same, and many fishermen thought that the fish really were pickerel. It was learned however that the fish were some pike or muskalonge which had been received from Michigan, and while they are of the same family as the pickerel they are enough different to be called by another name.

## Saturday Special Sales.

Ginger snaps half price today at City bakery. Great treat this at 5c. dozen; buy your brownbread and beans there also; currant buns, 10c. dozen, sugar hermits, 10c doz

"Peanut buttercups" four flavors, 17c. lb This is a simple announcement of Pettis' special today, but it does not convey to the mind the expert work required to make and fashion these lovely sugar buttercups, with the delicate thin shells filled with peanut butter and colored in four shades. Buy freely at this low price

Lots of people like to "chew." Why not chew something wholesome and sweet? N T Folsom & Son's famous chewing candy is home made. Try this today and lay in a stock for Sunday while it is so cheap—only 11c a lb Three flavors, vanilla, strawberry and molasses. See window and you will surely be likely to buy

Here is one chance of a season. You can't exaggerate this opportunity, Whitman & Adams Co. offer you: About 1000 yards beautiful remnants in dress goods, especially abounding in dress and shirt patterns, all the way from 2 to 10-yard remnants. Awfully low prices marked on each, to many to enumerate. Sure to call today

If you don't buy these bargains today at T C Buckley's, must be good reason for it, can't deny bring great bargains. Paris racer, self-steerer sled, $3 00 value for $1 59; others 39c each, White Mountain jumpers, from 25c. to 40c, were 40c to 65c.; full-size metal bed spring, $3 00 value for $1 98. Do call at this store and look over "mark downs" on whole stock. No make believe "cut prices"

Henry & Scribner, State street grocers, quote a few of their low prices for today: 150 count navel oranges, 29c. dozen, 3 pkgs new seeded raisins, 25c; 3 lbs dates, 25c.; strictly fresh eggs, 31c doz, fresh western eggs, 33c. doz.; spinach, 25c peck; fresh celery, lettuce, large oranges, grape fruit A good supply of Mt Vernon butter; large native chickens fowl and everything for your Sunday dinner. Telephone 555-1.

Should see the gilt edged fancy chickens 5 to 7 lbs. each at Merrill Bros, also fine native pork Tetley's extra 60 ct tea, ½ lb. tin foil package only 22c today Here is an amazing trade. The 150 count naval oranges only 27c doz Don't miss these. Grape fruit 4 for 25 cts and 6 for 25, excellent values. New Bermuda & Spanish onions Fancy celery, spinach, and Oregon apples also great center for shelled nuts and luncheon delicacies

E. Locke is going to give you some extra bargains today. Fresh chocolate croquettes 20c. lb. Those fancy filled boxes 29c. Big trades in oranges, 25-30-35c. per doz. 3 ten-cent fancy crackers 25 cts., 3 cans Green Island peas 25c, 3 cans good corn 25cts Woods fancy coffee 35c. grade 29c. Big trade in canned beef 7c. lb. Many other good bargains in meat sales Fancy native chicken and fowl. Broilers, native lamb, home made sausage and all green stuff

At Merrick's for a special sale, 3 pair of men's or children's hose for 25 cts Women's 25c. fleeced vests and pants only 22 cts. Children's white fur sets muff and scarf, only 75 cts. Misses $6.75 coats, now $4 87. $1 37 waists only 98 cts 1 lot kimonas 25 cts All women's coats marked way down.

B E Folsom says if you are interested in bargains in the grocery line read his big ad. in today's Journal. In addition to these he has these specials for today only With each pound of "our" 39c tea sold will give absolutely free one can Baker's cocoa and one can of Borden's Peerless milk 1 lb 50c value tea and 1 lb 30c value coffee—both the tea and coffee together for 39c. Oranges are higher but have a lot of the celebrated "Rose Brand" great big ones at 24c doz. Remember these prices are for today only

Malcolm & Dyer's Clearance Sale has waked up the public. Friday lots of people from the country were making big wages by buying goods needed—see ad. Conductors and gutters very low.

Frank P. Burns (Kinsman's Pharmacy) sells his choice grade chocolates today at 30c lb; 15c for half lb, fine assortment

"Charlotte Russe" the rich cream center with caramel jacket, such as J. G. Johnson fashions is a great seller, today only 17c lb If you want something very fine in chocolates try his line

L S Young's fine showing of cabbage 4c lb, extra salt pork, 11c lb; potatoes 70c bu, cottolene, 55c per pail, 30 to 40 count prunes, big ones, 11c per lb. Country eggs, 27c a doz, dairy butter, 28c lb; Stickney & Poor's spices, 8c quarter lb. New Bermuda onions

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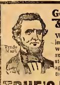

Good turkeys, fancy native fowl, and heavy extra cuts beef at Webber & Hewitt's. Native fresh shoulders, 10c lb, smoke, 9c lb; 3 lbs dates 25c, 3 large grape fruit, 25c, the jumbo, 150 count Florida oranges, you pay 40c doz for, only 29c doz; the real mellow [illegible] 15c lb, a rare price. Plenty rhubarb, cukes, strawberries, radishes and fancy russet apples, sweet potatoes

Bassett & Weston Co are fortunate in securing another lot of those quick seller, 34 inch Scotch cloths Arnold's make, 17c now 10c yd. Think of actually selling hundreds of these white waists at half price; lovely patterns offered last Saturday. Quite an assortment left; better not delay. Great business center is this store

Don't wait until that delayed Christmas stock of white, decorated, indestructible ware is all gone, at Swift & Turner's. Such pretty children's cup and plates for 10c each. A five gallon stone jar for only 49c today

Only going to name two bargains at Chernowsky's today. All is, don't miss seeing these. Will tell you plainly they are "baits" or "leaders" to get you up and into his big department store. If you see this white waist he will again sell you today at 49c you certainly will not regret the walk. Also a regular 89c waist marked down to 59c. Whatever you neglect, look these up.

Look at C W Conant Co's windows. Behold the low prices marked on silver knives, forks, cutlery, shears chafing dishes, lamps, china, jardinieres etc. A store actually full of genuine and liberal "mark downs." Can't you believe it? Seeing is believing.

Read what G W Wadleigh the cash grocer says. 1 lb good Formosa Tea 20 cts lb warranted if not satisfactory can be returned and get money back. Spinach 30c pk, lettuce 8c. head, radish, 5c. bunch, roast pork 13c and 15c lb; pork chop 4 lbs for 25 cts, leg lamb 12c lb; fore lamb 11c lb, good steak 15c lb, whole hams 11c lb, pork pea beans 10c. pk; 6 lbs pop corn 25c; lbs. raisins, 4 crown 25c; peanut butter in bulk 15c lb.

### NORTH AUGUSTA.

#### Funeral of Late H. A. Cummings.

The funeral of the late Henry A Cummings was held at his late home in North Augusta Friday afternoon. Rev. Francis Grovenor, assisted by Rev. N. G Storr, officiated. Mr Cummings was a veteran of the Civil War and a member of the 5th Maine Battery, having served faithfully with his regiment until the close of the war, when he was honorably discharged. About three years ago he suffered a shock of paralysis and since that time had failed gradually. A perceptible change in his health was not noticed, however, until about five weeks ago and not until a few days before his death was he confined to his room when valvular heart disease developed. He was a genuine home maker, fond of the society of young people and believed in home entertainments for his sons and daughters.

Mr Cummings was a member of the Methodist church and also a member of the G. A R. He will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends, all of whom extend their most sincere sympathy to the bereaved family. Besides the widow, he is survived by five sons and four daughters, Mrs Frank Harrington of Boston, Perley L and George H. and Miss Della of Jamaica Plain, Mrs. Will Adams of Winthrop, Harry L., Mrs. G M. Bean, Jr, and Scott H, all of Augusta. The floral offerings were many and beautiful, among them a beautiful wreath from the G A R, sheaf of wheat, sickle and other cut flowers from relatives and friends. The interment was in the Cummings cemetery.

### DEAN FENN IN AUGUSTA.

#### Prominent Divine Will Preach Twice In This City Tomorrow.

The Rev. William Wallace Fenn, dean of the Harvard Divinity School, will preach in the Unitarian church Sunday at 4.30, and in the Congregational church at 7.30.

Dean Fenn was born in Boston, February 12, 1862, graduated from Harvard College in 1884, received his Master's degree and graduated from the Harvard Divinity School in 1887. From the Divinity School Dr Fenn was called to the Unitarian church in Pittsfield, Mass., and from there, five years later, to the First Unitarian Society in Chicago, Ill., where he preached for ten years. He was made preacher to Harvard University in 1896 and in 1901 he was called to the chair of systematic theology in the Harvard Divinity School, of which school he has been the Dean since 1901.

The best characterization of Dean Fenn in a few words may be found in the words used by President Eliot in conferring upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity last June "William Wallace Fenn—reverent and philosophical adventurer in the human re-statement of systematic theology."

Much more might be said of this marvelous preacher and truly great man but the well weighted words of President Eliot ought to be introduction enough to assure him a crowded house in Augusta.

### A LINCOLN TEA.

#### Brilliant Social Event Given by Mrs. W. H. Gannett Friday Afternoon.

The prettiest of the afternoon social events of the week was the "Lincoln Tea" given by Mrs W H Gannett yesterday afternoon at her home, Gannett park, on Western avenue, and which was as enjoyable as it was unique. Many of the society ladies of the city were present and also those from other places who are passing a portion of the legislative session in the city, and to one and all the afternoon was one of rare enjoyment.

The rooms were handsomely decorated in honor of the occasion, with portraits of Lincoln draped with the American flag, while in the different rooms were cut flowers and potted plants in profusion. The guests were received by Mrs. Gannett and Miss Gannett, they being assisted by Mrs. [illegible] and Miss Fernald of Poland, while Mrs H P Gardner of Patten and Mrs W. P. Ordway of Skowhegan served.

The table on which the refreshments were served was a marvel of the decorator's and the caterer's art, everything being appropriate to the occasion. For a centerpiece was an electric lighted log cabin, and while some of the individual ices were in the form of busts of Lincoln others bore tiny flags, and the cake was ornamented with log cabins. The entire arrangement was marked by good taste and beauty.

### KENNEBEC.

#### MONMOUTH.

The concert given Thursday evening by the Monmouth Military Band at Cumston hall was very successful. A large audience was present. The band has been practicing about a year under the direction of Fred Roble of Winthrop and has made rapid advancement. The solo and ensemble work that evening were particularly good. Much credit is due to C W Prescott of Monmouth for the enthusiasm and financial aid which he has so freely given to get this organization started. Besides the instrumental numbers, vocal solos were given by Mrs Mary Dudley Blake, Miss Gladys Wright, L C. Prescott and H H Cochrane, the last named singing a song of his own composition, both words and music. Little Foster King, an infant musical prodigy, also sang very entertainingly to a piano accompaniment and being encored, responded, wholly unembarrassed [illegible]. All the soloists sang well and were received with great applause. Day brothers [illegible] their duet with much effect. They are always popular. Little Miss Helen Pettengill and Master Myron Prescott sang together charmingly. The twin brothers Prescott, aged nine, although not included in the band as [illegible], played their clarinet duet finely, showing unusual musical ability. An oyster supper and social assembly followed the concert, the entire evening proving one of the pleasantest of the winter.

#### BELGRADE.

The reports from the city hospital at Augusta regarding the condition of Leslie Bickford, continue encouraging.

Mr Reynolds of Winslow has a number of teams hauling wood to the station.

The condition of Mr Gerald at the hospital at Augusta is very serious.

Earl Wyman was in Augusta Tuesday and called on his friend, Leslie Bickford, at the hospital.

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| Regular $5.00, cut to | $3.49 |
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| Regular $5.00 Cut to | $3.49 |
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| Regular $1.50 cut to | .98 |
| Regular $1.00, cut to | .69 |

Dinnerware

Reg $8.00 sets, cut to $5.69 per set
Reg $10.00 sets, cut to $6.98 per set
Reg $15.00 sets, cut to $11.89 per set
Reg $19.00 sets, cut to $14.48 per set
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Nickle plated tanks $5 cut to $3.49
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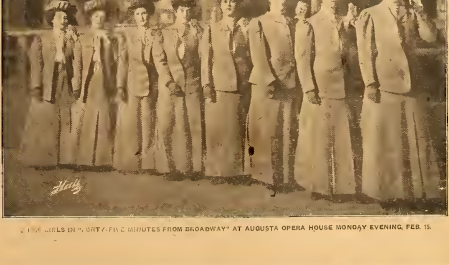

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### PRESIDENT AT HODGENVILLE.

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years ago today. Raw and damp as was the atmosphere, the large throng stood with bared heads during the hour and three-quarters consumed by the ceremonies. President Roosevelt and his immediate party arrived shortly before 1 o'clock after a drive over a heavy clay road from Hodgenville and five minutes afterwards Gov. Willson called the assemblage to order and introduced Rev. Mr. Powell of the First Christian church of Louisville, who delivered prayer. The speakers' platform was small and accommodated few except the participants in the exercises and the President's party, which included Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Roosevelt, Mrs Augustus E Willson, Capt A. W Butt, Dr. Rixey and others.

Commencing with Gov. Willson's address, the speaking began at 1 o'clock and notwithstanding there were six set speeches and music by a band, to say nothing of the laying of the corner stone, the entire ceremony had been concluded by 2.45 and a few minutes afterwards the visitors had begun their rough carriage ride back to Hodgenville.

The President was cordially and deferentially received. In the main, he confined himself closely to manuscript, but at the beginning departed from it to reply to complimentary allusions to himself by Gov. Folk.

The corner stone remained suspended in the air from a big derrick erected beside the tent while the oratory was in progress, and immediately afterward was lowered to its place on a signal from the President, who applied the first trowel full of the mortar.

Skilfully concealed under the stone was a metallic box containing copies of the Constitution of the United States and other important historic documents, some of which were placed in it by the President and others by other members of the party. At this point an old negro took a leading part. He was Isaac T Montgomery of Mound Bayou, Miss., who is said to have been a slave of Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy, who, like Lincoln, was a native of Kentucky. To Montgomery was assigned the appropriate task of depositing in the box a copy of Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation. In doing so he made a brief speech, in which he referred to himself as "one of the former millions of slaves to whom Lincoln gave freedom and the representative of 10,000,000 grateful negro citizens."

The corner stone is a fine specimen of gray granite about three feet square, and on it was placed a wreath of carnations presented by the Kentucky Lincoln Association.

The President boarded his train for Louisville at 3.45 P. M., expecting to arrive at Washington about 2 P. M. tomorrow.

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The parade drew up at the side of the cabin and the governor, the President, Mrs Roosevelt, Miss Roosevelt, Mr. Loeb and members of the centenary committee entered the tent to the applause of its occupants and took their seats on an improvised platform near the flower mantled cabin. Close to this lay the cornerstone of the new memorial temple in its bed of mortar and a derrick was manned, ready to raise the huge stone into place when the President had spread the cement on its broad side with the silver trowel which lay upon the rostrum. Following delivery of the impressive invocation, Former Governor Joseph Folk of Missouri, who is president of the Lincoln Memorial Association, uttered some introductory remarks, telling of the purpose of the association.

He was followed by President Roosevelt who laid the cornerstone, putting into its receptacle appropriate papers which was sealed by Nicholas Keenigstein of Hodgenville, and the stone raised into place. The President said:

We have met here to celebrate the hundredth anniversary of the birth of one of the two greatest Americans, of one of the two or three greatest men of the nineteenth century, of one of the greatest men in the world's history. This rail splitter, this boy who passed his ungainly youth in the dire poverty of the poorest of the frontier folk, whose else was by weary and painful labor, lived to lead his people through the burning flames of a struggle from which the nation emerged, purified as by fire, born anew to a loftier life. After long years of iron effort, and of failure that came more often than victory, he at last rose to the leadership of the Republic, at the moment when that leadership had become the stupendous world-task of the time. He grew to know greatness, but never ease. Success came to him, but never happiness, save that which springs from doing well a painful and a vital task. Power was his, but not pleasure. The furrows deepened on his brow, but his eyes were undimmed by either hate or fear. His gaunt shoulders were bowed, but his steel thews never faltered as he bore for a burden the destinies of his people. His great and tender heart shrank from giving pain; and the task allotted him was to pour out like water the life-blood of the young men, and to feel in his every fiber the sorrow of the women. Disaster saddened but never dismayed him. As the red years of war went by they found him ever doing his duty in the present, ever facing the future with fearless front, high of heart, and dauntless of soul. Unbroken by hatred, unshaken by scorn, he worked and suffered for the people. Triumph was his at the last; and barely had he tasted it before murder found him, and the kindly, patient, fearless eyes were closed forever.

As a people we are indeed beyond measure fortunate in the characters of the two greatest of our public men, Washington and Lincoln. Widely though they differed in externals, the Virginia landed gentleman and the Kentucky backwoodsman, they were alike in essentials, they were alike in the great qualities which rendered each able to render service to his nation and to all mankind such as no other man of his generation could or did render. Each had lofty ideals, but each in striving to attain these lofty ideals was guided by the soundest common sense. Each possessed inflexible courage in adversity, and a soul wholly unspoiled by prosperity. Each possessed all the gentler virtues commonly exhibited by good men who lack rugged strength of character. Each possessed also all the strong qualities commonly exhibited by those towering masters of mankind who have too often shown themselves devoid of so much as the understanding of the words by which we signify the qualities of duty, of mercy, of devotion to the right, of lofty disinterestedness in battling for the good of others. There have been other men as great and other men as good; but in all the history of mankind there are no other two great men as good as these, no other two good men as great. Widely though the problems of today differ from the problems set for solution to Washington when he founded this nation, to Lincoln when he saved it and freed the slave, yet the qualities they showed in meeting these problems are exactly the same as those we should show in doing our work today.

Lincoln saw into the future with the prophetic imagination usually vouchsafed only to the poet and the seer. He had in him all the lift toward greatness of the visionary, without any of the visionary's fanaticism or egotism, without any of the visionary's narrow jealousy of the practical man and inability to strive in practical fashion for the realization of an ideal. He had the practical man's hard common sense and willingness to adapt means to ends, but there was in him none of that morbid growth of mind and soul which blinds so many practical men to the higher things of life. No more practical man ever lived than this homely backwoods idealist; but he had nothing in common with those practical men whose consciences are warped until they fail to distinguish between good and evil, fail to understand that strength, ability, shrewdness, whether in the world of business or of politics, only serve to make their possessor a more noxious, a more evil member of the community, if they are not guided and controlled by a fine and high moral sense.

We of this day must try to solve many social and industrial problems, requiring to an especial degree the combination of indomitable resolution with cool-headed sanity. We can profit by the way in which Lincoln used both these traits as he strove for reform. We can learn much of value from the very attacks which following that course brought upon his head, attacks alike by the extremists of revolution and by the extremists of reaction. He never wavered in devotion to his principles, in his love for the Union, and in his abhorrence of slavery. Timid and lukewarm people were always denouncing him because he was too extreme; but as a matter of fact he never went to extremes, he worked step by step, and because of this the extremists hated and denounced him with a fervor which now seems to us fantastic in its deification of the unreal and the impossible. At the very time when one side was holding him up as the apostle of social revolution because he was against slavery, the leading abolitionist denounced him as the "slave hound of Illinois." When he was the second time candidate for President, the majority of his opponents attacked him because of what they termed his extreme radicalism, while a minority threatened to bolt his nomination because he was not radical enough. He had continually to check those who wished to go forward too fast, at the very time that he overrode the opposition of those who wished not to go forward at all. The goal was never dim before his vision but he picked his way cautiously, without either halt or hurry, as he strode toward it, through such a morass of difficulty that no man of less courage would have attempted it, while it would surely have overwhelmed any man of judgment less serene.

Yet perhaps the most wonderful thing of all, and, from the standpoint of the American today and of the future, the most vitally important, was the extraordinary way in which Lincoln could fight valiantly against what he deemed wrong and yet preserve undiminished his love and respect for the brother from whom he differed. In the hour of a triumph that would have turned any weaker man's head, in the heat of a struggle which spurred many a good man to dreadful vindictiveness, he said truthfully that so long as he had been in his office he had never willingly planted a thorn in any man's bosom, and besought his supporters to study the incidents of the trial through which they were passing as philosophy from which to learn wisdom and not as wrongs to be avenged; ending with the solemn exhortation that, as the strife was over, all should reunite in a common effort to save their common country.

He lived in days that were great and terrible, when brother fought against brother for what each sincerely deemed to be the right. In a contest so grim the strong men who alone can carry it through are rarely able to do justice to the deep convictions of those with whom they grapple in mortal strife. At such times men see through a glass darkly; to only the rarest and loftiest spirits is vouchsafed that clear vision which gradually comes to all, even to the lesser, as the struggle fades into distance, and wounds are forgotten, and peace creeps back to the hearts that were hurt. But to Lincoln was given this supreme vision. He did not hate the man from whom he differed. Weakness was as foreign as wickedness to his strong, gentle nature; but his courage was of a quality so high that it needed no bolstering of dark passion. He saw clearly that the same high qualities, the same courage, and willingness for self-sacrifice, and devotion to the right as it was given them to see the right, belonged both to the men of the North and to the men of the South. As the years roll by, and as all of us, wherever we dwell, grow to feel an equal pride in the valor and self devotion, alike of the men who wore the blue and the men who wore the gray, so this whole nation will grow to feel a peculiar sense of pride in the man whose blood was shed for the union of his people and for the freedom of a race; the lover of his country and of all mankind; the mightiest of the mighty men who mastered the mighty days, Abraham Lincoln.

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### IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.

#### State Responds With Enthusiasm to Call to Honor Lincoln.

Concord, N H, Feb. 12.—In accordance with the recommendation of Governor Henry B. Quinby in his proclamation for a Lincoln Memorial day the centenary of Abraham Lincoln's birth was observed in this state today, principally through celebrations under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic, and the public schools.

The state celebration, for which the Legislature made an appropriation, was held at the Auditorium in this city at 11 o'clock this forenoon, both branches of the Legislature adjourning to attend. Governor Henry B Quinby presided and the oration of the occasion was delivered by Congressman David J. Foster of Vermont. Other speakers were Representative Francis Buffum of Winchester, in behalf of the New Hampshire department, G. A. R., and Rev. Thomas Chalmers of Manchester.

### A ROUSING OBSERVANCE.

#### A Million New Yorkers and 500,000 Children Honor Lincoln's Memory.

New York, Feb. 12—Beautiful and sincere was the homage paid here today to the memory of Abraham Lincoln. In practically every schoolhouse, church and hall memorial services were held and it is estimated that more than 1,000,000 people participated. More than 500,000 children attended exercises in the 561 public schools and it was an inspiring sight to see the eager interest Young America took in the deeds, sayings and life of the man whose figure looms so large in the century just past. The day was bright and the throngs on the streets, together with the thousands of flags flung to the breeze, gave the city a festive appearance.

Tonight there were scores of Lincoln meetings and a dozen or more Lincoln dinners at leading hotels, at all of which the martyred President was eulogized. All in all the celebration today was the most hearty and widespread of its kind ever seen here. The day began with the firing of the national salute by the harbor forts, warships and by National Guard batteries. Later the army of children trooped to their schoolhouses and there, with songs, poems and addresses, participated in the day's celebration. Most of the churches held services and thousands of persons attended.

### IN THE PHILIPPINES.

#### Lincoln Centenary Generally Observed Throughout the Islands.

Manila, Feb. 12.—The Lincoln centenary was generally observed throughout the islands today by patriotic exercises held in the schools. The chief meeting held in Manila was presided over by Governor General James Smith. The principal address was made by Justice Johnson of Manila.

### THE BRITISH JOIN US.

#### English Press Eulogizes Lincoln—Mayor of Lincoln Sends Greetings.

London, Feb. 12—The English newspapers today devote much space to appreciations of Abraham Lincoln. There was no celebration in London, but in the mayor's house at Manchester there was a small gathering this afternoon at which the Right Rev. James Welldon, dean of Manchester, presided. Alfred Hopkinson, vice chancellor of Victoria University, moved a number of eulogistic resolutions and Church Howe, the American consul, spoke in reply.

Lincoln, Eng., Feb 12.—The mayor of Lincoln today cabled greetings to President Roosevelt on the Lincoln centenary. He said in his message; "The Lincoln city flag waves over the guildhall today in sympathetic commemoration of the event."

### AT GETTYSBURG.

#### Business Suspended and Hundreds Honor Lincoln Day.

Gettysburg, Pa., Feb. 12—Lincoln day at Gettysburg was observed by a general suspension of business and by citizens joining in paying a tribute to the man whose fame is intimately associated with this historic place. The principal exercises were held on the campus of Gettysburg College and the chief address was delivered by former Congressman James T. McCleary of Minnesota.

During the day hundreds of people visited the National cemetery, where Lincoln delivered his address.

### THROUGHOUT MAINE

#### Exercises in Commemoration of Lincoln Are Held.

Portland, Me., Feb. 12.—In the colleges and in the schools of every city and most of the towns in Maine today exercises were held in commemoration of the 100th birthday of Abraham Lincoln. While the Legislature declared it to be a state and bank holiday, distinct provision was made regarding its observance in schools that it should be observed by the schools of the State in a manner appropriate to to the occasion.

A special committee of the Legislature arranged for exercises to be held this evening in Augusta City hall. In this city, aside from the plans made by the schools, the extension of Lincoln park, which is in the center of the old portion of the city, was dedicated by the city government, the Grand Army and Spanish War Veterans participating. The annual banquet of the Lincoln Club of Portland was arranged for tonight, the speakers including Governor Fernald, Congressmen Allen of Maine, Dawson of Iowa and Cole of Ohio.

### WIRES HIS APPROVAL.

#### President Roosevelt Approves Resolution Passed by Congress.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Assistant Secretary to the President Foster early today received a dispatch from President Roosevelt approving the resolution passed by Congress yesterday making today a legal holiday in the District of Columbia and the territories of the United States. The dispatch was in reply to a message containing the resolution agreed to by the two houses.

### IN MASSACHUSETTS.

#### Lincoln Day Observed with Enthusiasm Throughout the State.

Boston, Feb. 12—The tribute of Massachusetts to the memory of Abraham Lincoln today was as spontaneous as that which marked the prompt response to his call for troops in 1861.

School exercises in the forenoon were universal throughout the state. Senator Henry Cabot Lodge delivered an eloquent address on Lincoln to the Massachusetts Legislature at noon; patriotic societies and the Grand Army held celebrations in the afternoon, while many city governments, including Boston, gave official recognition.

One of the largest gatherings was at Symphony hall in this city, where the city of Boston held its official observance. Major Henry L. Higginson, backed by his famous Symphony Orchestra and a chorus, presided.

The Gettysburg speech was delivered by Past Department Commander John E. Gilman of the G. A. R., while the main address of the evening was made by former Secretary of the Navy John D Long.

The crowd which thronged the State house to hear and applaud Senator Lodge equalled the proportions of inauguration day. It included, beside Governor Draper and Lieut. Gov Frothingham, many state and city officials and prominent leaders of both parties.

At the conclusion of the State house exercises many paused on the common to hear the hymns played by four trumpeters from the belfry of Park street church.

More than 4000 persons secured admittance to Symphony hall, but nearly half that number sought ineffectually to pass the doors. One of the features of the meeting was the appearance of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, now in her 90th year, who recited an original poem in a remarkably strong and firm voice.

### TWO BANQUETS

#### Mark Closing of Lincoln Centenary Observance at Baltimore.

Baltimore, Feb. 12.—The local observance of Lincoln day, which was a legal holiday in this state, ended tonight with two banquets at the Belvidere, one of the Military order of the Loyal Legion and the other of the Young Men's Republican Club. At the latter the principal speaker was Attorney General Charles J. Bonaparte.

The German-American Lincoln Club held a big mass meeting at the Lyric under the chairmanship of Governor Austin L. Crothers, which was addressed by Mayor Mahool and Congressman Henry T. Rainey of Illinois and J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania.

### AT PITTSBURG.

#### Vice President-elect Sherman Chief Speaker at Commerce Dinner.

Pittsburg, Feb. 12—Vice President-elect James S. Sherman of New York was the principal speaker at the Chamber of Commerce dinner at the Hotel Schenley here tonight.

Mr Sherman responded to the toast: "Abraham Lincoln." The anniversary of Lincoln's birth was celebrated in Pittsburg and vicinity today to a larger extent than ever before.

### FAIRBANKS CHIEF SPEAKER.

#### Vice President Delivers Address at Elaborate Harrisburg, Pa., Celebration.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 12.—Vice President Fairbanks was the chief speaker here tonight at the Lincoln day meeting which concluded an elaborate observance of the centennial, including school and religious exercises. Governor Stuart presided at the meeting. Mr Fairbanks received an enthusiastic welcome.

### THREE NATIONS UNITE.

#### America, Great Britain and France All Pay Tribute to Lincoln.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 12.—At the state armory here tonight, the interior of which was brilliantly lighted by electricity and beautifully decorated with the national colors, poinsettias and portraits of Abraham Lincoln, three nations paid tribute to the emancipator's memory. The French ambassador, M. Jusserand, brought a message from France; the British ambassador, the Right Hon. James Bryce, the eulogy of England, and William J. Bryan of Nebraska and United States Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver of Iowa spoke of this nation's debt of gratitude to the great Kentuckian.

This was a fitting end of the remarkable all-day celebration which took the prominent guests mentioned and about 40 others through the old Lincoln home, past the courthouse where Lincoln practised law, by the building where his office was situated, to the old church where Lincoln worshipped and where his name is yet upon the pew he occupied, and to his burial place.

Most impressive feature was the scene at the Lincoln tomb when Robert T. Lincoln, the son of the martyred President, stood beside the sarcophagus in which the body of his father rests and bowed his head with tear-dimmed eyes in silent meditation. At the armory tonight 700 men sat at tables facing an elevated speakers' stand upon which was spread the table for the guests. The galleries were filled with a fashionable throng. Judge J. Otis Humphrey presided.

Ambassador Jusserand spoke on "Abraham Lincoln as France Regarded him." Ambassador Bryce's address was a message of love and respect. The addresses of Messrs. Bryan and Dolliver at night were informal.

This afternoon 8000 persons crowded a large tabernacle and thousands were turned away. Formal addresses were delivered by Mr. Bryan on "Lincoln as an Orator" and by Senator Dolliver on the "Career of Lincoln." In formal addresses were delivered by Ambassador Jusserand and Bryce.

A letter from Booker T. Washington was read at the banquet tonight. It urged the Negroes to be law-abiding and added, "That every member of my race who does not work, who leads an immoral life, dishonors the name and memory of Lincoln." He urged the white race to be just with the Negroes. "No man," he said, "who hallows the name of Lincoln will inflict injustice upon the Negro because he is a Negro or because he is weak."

The Negroes of Springfield, not having been invited to representation at the banquet, held a meeting tonight at which eulogies on Lincoln were delivered. Rev. L. H. Magee criticized the banquet of the Centennial Association, saying:

"I would rather be one of the number of black devoters of Lincoln than toastmaster at a so-called Lincoln banquet at $25 a plate. Oh, consistency thou art a jewel. How can you play Hamlet without the melancholy Dane?"

Not to be outdone by the men, the women of Springfield gave an elaborate reception this afternoon at the Old Lincoln homestead and tonight a brilliant banquet at the Y. M. C. A building under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

### WHITE MEN SOLD.

#### Auction of Unemployed a Pathetic Scene in Brooklyn.

New York, Feb. 12—An auction of white men on Lincoln's birthday was the spectacle which drew thousands of persons to the Park Side Presbyterian church in Flatbush, Brooklyn, tonight. The auction was in reality an object lesson of the conditions prevailing among working people and served to get jobs for a number of men.

Rev. Mr Long introduced Edward T O'Loughlin, who was to conduct the auction. Mr. O'Loughlin outlined his plan, to which, he said, the men he would present had agreed. This was to offer them, as it were, on the block to the person who would give them a job by which they could earn subsistence and a few dollars besides if possible. The money, however, was to be an after consideration, because the men who had come to him wanted food and shelter principally.

Mr O'Loughlin then led on the platform 50 men, young and old, all more or less shabbily dressed and displaying the pinch of want. All of the men wore black masks so as to conceal their identity to all but purchasers. Each man was numbered and so they were put on the block.

Six men in all were disposed of, when, as the hour was waxing late, the spectators formed themselves into a committee, took charge of the remaining 44 men and promised to find homes and jobs for them.

### 60th CONGRESS.

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Lincoln's birthday were held. The chaplain feelingly referred to Lincoln's character and services. Boutell, Ills., read the famous Gettysburg address and Nye, Minn spoke in eloquent terms of the martyred President.

Washington, Feb. 12.—That Representative Rainey of Illinois got from the New York World his information regarding the Panama affairs which formed the subject of his recent speech, and that ex-convicts invented the stories of fraud and corruption pertaining to the acquirement of title by the United States to the property was the charge made today in the House of Representatives by Lovering of Massachusetts. "Maybe," he said, "the World did not originate all the scandalous stories it published, but its columns were public and we do know that the World did give credence and circulation to them."

Lovering declared that the perpetrators of these false statements are known and the story of their doings reveals a chapter in the history of blackmailing that is rare in the annals of crime. These gentlemen," he said, "are known. Their names are known; their aliases are known; their haunts are known and their plans are known."

"Does the gentleman object to stating who they are?" inquired Burleson of Texas.

Lovering protested that he was laboring under great difficulty because of the absence of Rainey from the chamber. He admitted that he did not notify the Illinois member that he was to speak on this subject. "I want to say," he said, "that these men have been run down and brought to book, and it turns out that many of them are ex-convicts, and they stand a good chance of returning to the penitentiary."

He was pressed by Shackleford of Missouri, for information as to who those ex-convicts were, but he would go no farther than to say that before long they would be produced in court. Their names he said, had been brought before the grand jury, both at Washington and at New York and at the proper time they would be known in the general public.

Gaines, Tenn., inquired if Lovering was not a warm personal friend of William Nelson Cromwell. Lovering admitted that he was. Responding to questions by Shackleford, the Massachusetts member said that personally he was not a client of Mr Cromwell but he was a member of a corporation that had retained his services.

Upon the suggestion of Gaines of for and that the speech had been sent for and the latter speech should proceed no further until he had arrived, Lovering yielded the floor temporarily.

In a short time Rainey entered the chamber and explained that his Baltimore engagement would prevent his remaining throughout Lovering's speech, but that he later would answer it should he find it necessary.

Lovering then declared that the evidence was complete and sufficient to "convict the blackmailers, who have tried to work their game not only on the gentleman I have named but on both political parties."

Last fall, he said, an effort was made to sell the stories to the Democratic campaign committee and certain leaders of that party took them under consideration, but that they could not be substantiated. He charged that for nearly two years prior to that time "the same men had been pursuing Cromwell with the expectation that he would pay them a large sum of money, varying from $5000 to $25,000. They thought he would pay to have these stories suppressed." Lovering declared that these persons were always met by Mr Cromwell with an indignant refusal "and the reply that they might do what they pleased with their stories, for they were nothing but lies." These same persons, he said, told Mr. Cromwell that even though there be no truth in this story "Buy and bury it." It was at this time, he said, when they had failed in all their demands upon Mr. Cromwell, that they went with their nefarious wares to Mr. Mack chairman of the Democratic National Committee, and offered them for sale for campaign purposes. While they were not accepted, he said, members of the Democratic party entered into an agreement with Rainey "to exploit the subject on the floor of the House." This he attempted to do by introducing a resolution of inquiry." He added, however, that "singularly enough, Rainey had taken no steps to bring about action upon it." Lovering said that "after these professional blackmailers had failed to extract money from any of their sources they in their desperation caused them to be published and then appeared in the New York World." Lovering could not say whether the World paid for the stories and he stated that "whether the gentleman (Rainey) got his information from the New York World or directly from these blackmailers, does not matter."

Rising in his place, Rainey declared he had received no information from either source. "I know nothing of any blackmailers," he asserted, "neither have I received any information from the New York World."

In the whole Panama transaction, Lovering said, there were no secrets, except such as suspicious minds have conjured up or were inspired to imagine. He said he never knew of Mr. Cromwell doing a single improper act in connection with that or any other transaction whatever in the United States, in France or on the Isthmus. Everything that Mr Cromwell did, he said, was "honorable straightforward and without any self-seeking interest beyond what should properly come to him as a legitimate fee for his services to the French company."

"If there were no secrets" interjected Hitchcock, Neb., "does the gentleman justify the refusal of William Nelson Cromwell to answer questions put to him by a Senate committee?"

Lovering declared Cromwell answered every question that he was at liberty to answer in faith to his clients, but since that time he had kept nothing back.

Mr Cromwell, he said, did not profit directly or indirectly by any part he took in the matter beyond his moderate fee. "He was absolutely patriotic," he said, "and never for a moment lost sight of the fact that he was first of all an American citizen."

Looking at Rainey, Lovering called on him "Here and now, to produce his proofs."

Rainey promised that at the first opportunity he would make a reply which would meet the challenge. In closing Lovering said if Rainey did not wish to produce the proofs, the fair and manly thing for him to do was to withdraw his charges "And above all, apologize to President Obaldia of Panama."

Olcott, N. Y., also defended Mr. Cromwell and those mentioned in Rainey's speech, and said that Rainey cast aspersions upon them for which he should apologize.

In a brief but fiery speech Gaines, Tenn., declared that in order to get at the bottom of the case, the Rainey resolution should be passed. "Get Mr Cromwell," he exclaimed, "to come before the committee and show his hands, and get Rainey or any one else he wants to call and bring them face to face."

Declaring that Rainey's charges should not be permitted to remain a part of the permanent records of Congress, Bannon, Ohio, defended President-elect Taft and his brother, Charles P. Taft.

### A PUBLIC MISFORTUNE.

#### Taft Wants All Doubts Removed as To Eligibility of Knox.

Washington, Feb 12—President-elect Taft has telegraphed to Senator Hale urging Congress to remove all doubt of Senator Knox's eligibility to the office of secretary of state and saying that the loss of Mr. Knox from the cabinet premiership would be a public misfortune.

"New Orleans, La, Feb 11 1909.
"Hon Eugene P. Hale, U. S. Senate, Washington, D. C.

"I sincerely hope that Congress will pass a bill to remove any doubt of Knox's eligibility. I have no doubt that a bill to repeal the bill increasing the salary of secretary of state will effect this purpose and I sincerely hope that it will pass. I should regard the loss of Senator Knox from the first place in my cabinet as a public misfortune.

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